

Annual Report

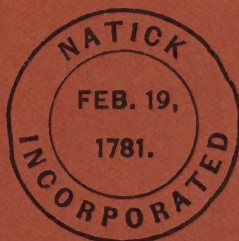
of the

Town Officers

of

Natick

1914

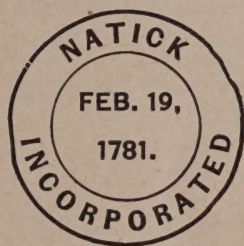


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REPORTS OF TOWN OFFICERS

WITH A STATEMENT OF THE RECEIPTS
AND EXPENDITURES

OF THE



TOWN OF NATICK

FROM FEBRUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31, 1914

NATICK, MASS.
THE GEORGE F. HALL PRESS
1915

TOWN OFFICERS FOR 1914-15

Town Clerk

WILLIAM O. CUTLER

Town Treasurer

HARRY M. FERGUSON

Selectmen

EDWARD P. BRENNAN

EDWARD A. MILLER

WILLIAM E. DANIELS

Overseers of the Poor

HOWARD L. MOULTON

WILLIAM F. FINN

CHARLES L. KOPFF

Assessors

DAVID FINN

JOHN H. CRAIG

FREDERICK J. LUCEY

School Committee

ALBERT A. FELCH

FLORA BESSIE RICE

WILLIAM F. HALL

FRANK S. CURRIER

LEWIS L. SELLEW

NETTIE AGNES WHITE

Superintendent of Schools

EDGAR L. WILLARD

Trustees of Morse Institute

HENRY C. MULLIGAN

HORACE B. GALE

ALOYSIUS J. DOON

JOSEPH A. MAHAN

WILLIAM A. EDWARDS

Trustees of Leonard Morse Hospital

| | |
|----------------------|--------------------|
| PATRICK H. COONEY | WILLIAM S. PATTEN |
| JOHN B. LEAMY | WILLIAM J. COCHRAN |
| WILLIAM H. SYLVESTER | CHARLES H. COOK |
| EDWARD L. McMANUS | |

Board of Health

| | |
|-------------------|------------------|
| THOMAS J. MAGUIRE | WM. H. McCORDICK |
| THOMAS F. MORRIS | |

Water Commissioners

| | |
|---------------------|------------------|
| GEORGE FRED WHITNEY | HENRY M. ROBBINS |
| FRANCIS L. SELLEW | |

Superintendent of Water Works

GEORGE W. TRAVIS

Highway Surveyor

WILLIAM J. OAKES

Collector of Taxes

JOHN J. AHERN

Auditor

THOMAS J. SHEA

Engineers of Fire Department

THOMAS J. DEIGNAN, Chief

GEORGE H. HEINLEIN

JOHN E. COLEMAN

Sewer Commissioners

MICHAEL J. DOHERTY

WILLIAM M. TODD

HENRY M. ROBBINS

Superintendent of Sewer System

PATRICK F. HALLINAN

Constables

| | |
|----------------------|-------------------|
| OSCAR T. BARTLETT | CARL A. GODENDORF |
| DAVID J. CHURCH | FRANK C. CUMMINGS |
| CORNELIUS P. McKEOWN | HAROLD F. CUSHING |

Chief of Police

HIRAM J. BROWN

Night Patrol

[See Selectmen's Report]

Registrars of Voters

| | |
|--------------------|------------------------|
| MICHAEL H. SWEENEY | ARTHUR W. ROBINSON |
| HENRY L. MAHAN | TOWN CLERK, ex officio |

Tree Warden

HENRY S. HUNNEWELL

Sinking Fund Commissioners

| | |
|---------------------|---------------------|
| FRANK E. CUMMINGS | RALPH D. SUTHERLAND |
| THOMAS F. McNICHOLS | |

Park Commissioners

| | |
|----------------------|-----------------|
| GEORGE C. FAIRBANKS | JAMES E. COOPER |
| WILLARD N. HUNNEWELL | |

Cattle Inspector

JOHN W. ROBINSON

Sealer of Weights and Measures

CHARLES H. HOLLIS

Public Weighers and Measurers

| | |
|---------------------|--------------------|
| CLARENCE N. HOWE | EDWARD F. McGRATH |
| CHARLES F. ROBINSON | MARY J. SULLIVAN |
| ANDREW L. ANDERSON | JOHN M. ADAMS |
| NETTIE W. GOULDING | WILBUR C. GORMAN |
| PETER E. FAIR | CORNELIUS J. BROWN |
| FRANK B. ROBINSON | |

Measurer Wood and Bark
MORTON V. B. BARTLETT

Dog Officer
EGBERT A. STRICKSMA

Disbursing Officer
PATRICK MAHAN
(Resigned Sept. 1. 1914)
DANIEL C. FELTON

Burial Officer
DANIEL C. FELTON

Town Counsel
FRANCIS B. BURNS

Town Clerk's Report

BIRTHS.

Registered in Natick for the Year 1914

JANUARY

| Date | Names of Child | Names of Parents |
|------|----------------------------|------------------------|
| 2 | Ralph Edwin Graham | Charles E., Jessie |
| 5 | William Grady | Patrick F., Agnes C. |
| 6 | Robert Francis Callahan | Robert F., Florence G. |
| 6 | Michael Angelo Quatralo | Philip, Mary |
| 7 | de Flumere | Nicholas, Myra |
| 11 | Alice Long | Pasquale, Marie |
| 11 | George P. Rivers | George T., Eveline |
| 17 | Elizabeth Gertrude Naphen | William M., Sophia |
| 18 | Nels Helmar Swenson | Nels W., Emma S. |
| 18 | Antonio Francis Antalok | Louis, Theresa |
| 21 | Caroline Mastrigiocomo | Patsy, Josephine |
| 25 | Regan | John, Annie |
| 27 | Elinor Brady | Patrick H., Clara A. |
| 29 | Loretta Naphen | James F., Rose M. |
| 29 | Elizabeth Catherine Pierce | Fred C., Atoinette E. |

FEBRUARY

| Date | Name of Child | Names of Parents |
|------|---------------------------|--------------------------|
| 3 | Ossian William Warn | Samuel, Ida |
| 4 | Hladik | Martin, Annie |
| 4 | Herbert Henry Walley, Jr. | Herbert H., Gladys M. |
| 5 | Irene Alice Mullen | Peter E., Mary L. |
| 7 | Eunice Belle Leavitt | Rollin R., Clara A. |
| 9 | Warner Julian Newton | Willis E., Lottie R. |
| 9 | Philomena Patti | Charles, Tanna |
| 11 | Helen May Hedderig | Jacob J., Mary |
| 12 | Joseph Skahill, | James J., Margaret S. |
| 17 | Eileen Craig | John H., Margaret G. |
| 17 | Miriam Barbara Carr | Ferdinand G., Lillian J. |
| 22 | George Francis Roberts | Paul S., Nellie C. |
| 23 | John Gillespie Wheeler | John F., Helen |
| 25 | Edward William Anderson | Fred, Liber |
| 27 | Louise Schaller | John L., Nellie G. |

MARCH

| | | |
|----|-------------------------------|-----------------------|
| 1 | Albert Leland Hawes | Arthur L., Cora I. |
| 4 | Josephine Marjorie Spruhan | John E., Mary A. |
| 5 | Albert Francis Caswell | Frank H., Helen A. |
| 8 | Katherine Marguerite Faulkner | Robert E., Jessie M. |
| 8 | James Bierne | James F., Mary V. |
| 10 | Earl Lester Simpson | Charles E., Catherine |
| 11 | Carl Gustaf Hedin | Gustaf E., Ida W. |
| 12 | Georgia Barbara Brown | George W., Mary H. |
| 14 | Daniel Augustin Lucey, Jr. | Daniel A., Marguerite |
| 18 | Caroline Ruby Hill | August, Mary |
| 18 | Albert Teebagy | Elias, Rose |
| 20 | James Edward Malone | James H., Margaret E. |
| 26 | Margaret Patricia Gavin | Walter E. Margaret G. |
| 26 | Charles Wesley Hopf | Mathias, Bertha C. |
| 27 | Robert William Selfe | Robert W., Harriet P. |

| Date | Name of Child | Names of Parents |
|------|--------------------------|---------------------|
| 27 | Richard Ford Shiner, Jr. | Richard F., Gladys |
| 27 | Pearl Louisa Schnare | Kelvie L., Elma L. |
| 29 | Edward Peter Bache | Thomas E., Minnie |
| 29 | George Hall | George F., Ellen M. |
| 30 | Esther Naphen | Francis M., Mary J. |
| 30 | Samuel Eleius Mabardy | Nicholas, Mary |

APRIL

| | | |
|----|---------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1 | Walter Killeen | Thomas F., Delia |
| 2 | Mildred Farracy | Thomas L., Margaret M. |
| 6 | Barbara Matherson Glidden | John S. M., Mary |
| 8 | Eunice Edna Viles | George E., Edna M. |
| 12 | Parks | Ernest S., Phoebe W. |
| 15 | Ruth Erma Fairbanks | Walter E., Catherine A. |
| 16 | Virginia Agnes Smith | Walter W., Agnes B. |
| 17 | David Henry Porter | Henry, Naomi |
| 18 | Martha Lillian Rayner | George A., Elizabeth E. |
| 19 | Henry Perkins McRoberts | William S., Alice M. |
| 22 | Theresa Elizabeth Naylor | William, Clara T. |
| 22 | Pearl Le Roy Kinsman | Ethan A., Olive |
| 24 | Phyllis Helen Stevens | John G., Helen A. |
| 25 | Harvey Edward Snow | Pearl H., Emma L. |
| 29 | Frona Annie Tupper | Ernest B., Louise |

MAY

| | | |
|----|-----------------------|----------------------|
| 1 | Mary Tragelini | Attilio, Nilda |
| 2 | William Fitzpatrick | James F., Anna L. |
| 2 | Marjorie Fitzpatrick | James F., Anna L. |
| 6 | Ronald Warren Ward | Fred A., Lucy |
| 7 | Eleanor Marie Doherty | Victor J., Esther M. |
| 8 | Doris Mabel Balcom | Clifford H., Eva M. |
| 9 | Alfred Willis Thorpe | Clifford W., Abbie |
| 9 | Alice May Crawford | Charles H., Cora L. |
| 12 | Edwin Everett Phoenix | George E., Louisa |

| Date | Name of Child | Names of Parents |
|------|--------------------------|------------------------|
| 21 | Genieve Stanley | James, Delia |
| 26 | Isabella Veronica McNeil | Donald, Neva |
| 27 | George Marshall Whitcomb | Melvin M., Agnes |
| 28 | Doris Hazel Buckler | Arthur N., Uella L. |
| 31 | Bowen | Clifford A., Olinda N. |

JUNE

| | | |
|----|--------------------------|------------------------|
| 4 | Ethel Beatrice Roix | George M., Lydia |
| 4 | John Coan | Patrick J., Bridget T. |
| 5 | Emily Canelli | Joseph, Rosa |
| 5 | Evelyn Kane | Peter E., Margaret L. |
| 6 | Pauline Maude Cadorette | Noel E., Margaret |
| 8 | Gladys Solieski | George, Elizabeth |
| 8 | Margaret Mahan | Henry L., Florence M. |
| 10 | Norton | John, Annie |
| 14 | Wilhelmina Spooner | William H., Alice |
| 14 | Roy Louis Hammond | Earl L., Lillian |
| 16 | Dorothy Ann Eva Dagg | Thomas E., Grace V. |
| 16 | Francis Joseph Iarrobino | Pasquale, Anna M. |
| 17 | Kenneth Lyman Clapp | Stanley E., Jennie V. |
| 17 | Raymond Eugene Clapp | Stanley E., Jennie V. |
| 17 | Josephine Ghetti | Augusto, Teresa |
| 18 | John Setti | Primo, Louisa |
| 18 | John Joseph Farrell Jr. | John J., Mary L. |
| 20 | Claud William Sharps | Joseph, Agnes |
| 21 | Mary Frances Gibbons | Thomas M., Teresa B. |
| 22 | Catherine Branagan | John F., Mary |
| 25 | Edward Walter Curtin | John P., Rose |
| 27 | Agentina Temprendola | Natzarino, Augustina |

JULY

| | | |
|---|--------------------------|----------------------|
| 1 | Kadlik | Steve, Jennie |
| 3 | Oiarzio Jiacinto Ferraro | Antonio, Mary L. |
| 3 | Mildred Ruth Clough | Alfred A., Esther N. |
| 7 | Elizabeth Susie Chesney | John, Susie |

| Date | Name of Child | Names of Parents |
|------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|
| 8 | Marguerite Agnes Riley | James F., Alice |
| 12 | Richard Leo Kinson | Walter L., Ethel M. |
| 14 | David Nathaniel Hartman | Bery H., Mina C. |
| 15 | Francis Louis Barnard | Francis F., Annie M. |
| 16 | Frances Murphy | Joseph P., Anna E. |
| 17 | Schleicher | Irving, Blanche |
| 18 | James Pridham Yeo | George E., Mary A. |
| 18 | Perkins | Alvah L., Louise |
| 18 | Frederic Rudolf Mattfield | Henry W., Mary B. |
| 19 | Frank G. Townsend | Frank G., Genivieve E. |
| 21 | Catherine Curtis Whittemore | Winthrop C., Edith |
| 21 | Warren Edward Gay | George W., Florilida M. |
| 23 | Josephine Carbesieri | Paulo, Maria |
| 24 | William Fitzpatrick | Eugene H., Catherine F. |
| 25 | Elizabeth F. Franjose | Joseph, Angela |
| 29 | Katharine Marie Hughes | Paul D., Annie J. |
| 30 | Maud Elizabeth Morrison | Harry D., Elizabeth W. |

AUGUST

| | | |
|----|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| 3 | Amalia Karakou | Theodore L., Aphrodite |
| 8 | Leotia Nira Batchelder | William C., Lelia W. |
| 9 | Donald Sutherland | Ralph D., Julia M. |
| 9 | Carl Gordon Rogers | Carl A., Edna G. |
| 9 | Arnold Perry | Raymond, Mae G. |
| 9 | Paul Oliver Patten Emery | Charles S., Elizabeth E. |
| 13 | Raymond Lynch | Francis A., Ruth A. |
| 13 | Joseph Edward McNichols | Thomas F., Anna E. |
| 15 | Gladu | Leon, Cecelia |
| 17 | Mary Margaret Garfield | James A. Margaret C. |
| 20 | James Garfield Mills | Clifford C., Mary A. |
| 21 | Charley Lotensleiger | Solomon, Fannie |
| 22 | Ida Elizabeth Hall | Matthias, Ida S. |
| 23 | Laura Caromicoli | Augusto, Mary |
| 23 | Grace Lacrosse | William H., Eda G. |

| Date | Name of Child | Names of Parents |
|------|-------------------------|-------------------|
| 27 | Mary Elizabeth DeGrasse | Alexander, Agnes |
| 30 | Lillian Viola Tatro | Arnold, Belle |
| 31 | Bemis | William, Gertrude |

SEPTEMBER

| | | |
|----|---------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1 | Marguerite Allen | John P., Mary E. |
| 1 | Rita Genivieve Young | Stephen G. C., Annie E. |
| 2 | Rosa Angelieri | Sebastiano, Isabella |
| 2 | Frank Burtis Westcott | George A., Mary C. |
| 2 | Oliver David Dufault | Oliver D., Althea |
| 7 | Mary Piper | Jan, Mary |
| 7 | Dante Bossi | Paolo, Louisa |
| 14 | Ruth Althea Sanger | Herbert B., Catherine F. |
| 15 | Rose Josephine Panti | Patsey, Mary |
| 16 | John Thomas White | John W., Mary E. |
| 17 | Harry Clifford Gray | Harry C., Laura E. |
| 18 | Robert Klein | Thomas, Marion |
| 22 | Marjorie Elizabeth Nelson | Thomas R., Lillian G. |
| 23 | Frederic Walcott Peckham | Frederic M., Cora B. |
| 25 | Thelma Louise Fairbanks | Erastus O., Lena M. |
| 27 | Dorothy Johnson | Richard E., Jennie |

OCTOBER

| | | |
|----|----------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1 | Donald Dexter Brown | Lyman A., Ethel P. |
| 1 | Ilba Cedroni | James, Domenua |
| 4 | Melba Simmons | Charles, Mabel |
| 5 | Sigrid Elizabeth Benson | Carl, Calla E. |
| 8 | Dorothy Mary Keaveney | Michael J., Mary E. |
| 11 | Ralph Ira Pollard | Wilford T., Florence E. |
| 11 | Margaret Christine Dickoff | William P., Margaret |
| 12 | Emily Anna Benson | Andrew C., Josie D. |
| 12 | Mary Louise Scott | George B., Isabel V. |
| 14 | Helen Marie Dobbin | Louis J., Julia A. |
| 14 | Mary Griffin | Fred J., Mary |

| Date | Name of Child | Names of Parents |
|------|---------------------------|------------------------|
| 14 | Pensieri | Cresant, Elvira |
| 14 | Barbara Underwood | Frank E., Edith |
| 16 | Lena Balboni | Alfi, Jessiera |
| 17 | Dorothy Wignot | Joseph T., Susie |
| 19 | Olga Doris Lambit | George, Thelma F. |
| 20 | Thomas F. Collins | Thomas V., Margaret L. |
| 22 | Fair | George F., Mary A. |
| 23 | Doucet | Thomas, Mary |
| 24 | Francis Kelly | Michael J., Mary A. |
| 25 | Virginia Fogg Travis | Claude S., Blanche |
| 25 | Bertha Caroline Tupper | Harry H., Emma M. |
| 26 | Christine Elizabeth Young | Edward H., Rose E. |
| 26 | Elin Elizabeth Nelson | Henry, Hannah |
| 27 | George Wilbur Bancroft | Fred L., Lillian I. |
| 30 | William McEvoy | Thomas P., Annie |
| 30 | Harriet Spaulding | George L., Alice |
| 30 | Frances Fisher | George E., Helen A. |
| 30 | Joseph Edmund Horan | Bernard J., Sarah A. |
| 30 | Blake | John R., Marguerite |
| 30 | Stanley Abbott MacDonald | John A., Jessie F. |
| 31 | Lewis | James J., Eva F. |

NOVEMBER

| | | |
|----|------------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1 | Courtney Graham Whitley | Claude O., Dorothy B. |
| 2 | Rose Alma Murphy | John E., Rose A. |
| 3 | Smith | William H., Louise |
| 5 | Constance Allen Bolieau | Francis W., Ellen G. |
| 6 | Frederick Carhart Adams, Jr. | Frederick C., Elizabeth |
| 7 | Raymond Francis Smith | Jesse W., Agnes K. |
| 9 | Marion Olive Knight | Ambrose D., Agnes M. |
| 10 | Mary Felch | Everett S., Jane |
| 11 | Helen Elizabeth Woods | Clarence A., Pearl M. |
| 12 | George Edgar Folk, Jr. | George E., Mae |

| Date | Name of Child | Names of Parents |
|------|---------------------------|------------------------|
| 12 | Howard Edward Murtagh | George E., Agnes E. |
| 14 | Celorier | George A., Stasia |
| 15 | Mary Myette Burke | Thomas H., Mary A. |
| 15 | Francis Tirrell Bishop | Leon E., Grace E. |
| 15 | Bombard | Henry, Stova |
| 17 | Angelina Groucle Angelo | Groucle, Luvigia |
| 18 | Angeline Trollicoly | Angelo, Louisa |
| 20 | Antonio Palladino | Antonio, Mary |
| 21 | Rachel Adelia Marshall | Robie W., Blanche E. |
| 23 | Axel Henry Berglin | Axel J., Elizabeth |
| 24 | Margaret Adelaide Gleason | Daniel A., Margaret V. |
| 27 | Ruth Evelyn Colburn | Arthur W., Caroline E. |
| 28 | Charles Vincent Plouffe | John H., Marion L. |
| 30 | Goodwin | Harry A., Mildred A. |

DECEMBER

| | | |
|----|--------------------------|-------------------------|
| 3 | Cournoyer | William E., Sadie B. |
| 3 | Lyman Franklin Gay | Ernest L. A., Ellen E. |
| 5 | Franklyn Miller Johnson | Howard M., Josephine M. |
| 6 | Gasparo Fabiano | Vito, Vita |
| 7 | Beulah Elizabeth Wheet | Carl R., Phoebe I. |
| 8 | Edward Kimball | Ernest L., Mary E. |
| 8 | Edward Dammers Parmenter | Gordon A., Una R. |
| 11 | William Patrick Curnyn | Michael H., Mary L. |
| 13 | Christine Duff | Charles, Christine |
| 20 | Rona Wright | George R., Bertha |
| 24 | Virginia Brown | Hiram W., Luella |
| 24 | Prescott | Charles D., Edith M. |
| 25 | Robert Joseph Gilleran | Martin L. Alice M. |
| 29 | Emalda Chericomicoli | Guisseppi, Ednigia |

OMITTED IN FORMER YEARS

1897

| | | |
|--------|----------------|----------------------|
| July 4 | Victoria Brown | Stephen C., Annie B. |
|--------|----------------|----------------------|

1899

Oct. 24 Clement Joseph Connolly Stephen F., Delia A.

1900

April 26 Ruth Edna Brown Herman F., Emma C.

1906

May 8 Leona Harnden Guy T., Laura

1912

Jan. 28 Helen Holbrook Goldwin P., Jessie

Number registered for year 1914 (including still births etc.)
 234 against 213 in 1913; five omitted in previous years, total
 number registered 239.

MARRIAGES

Registered in Natick for the Year 1914

Unless otherwise stated, the place of marriage and residence of person officiating, Natick.

JANUARY.

- 4 James Melvin Henry, Nellie Burns, at Wellesley, by Rev. Joseph E. Murphy, Wellesley.
- 6 Arthur Orlo Austin, Carolyn May Perry, by Rev. Alfred W. Birks.
- 6 Frank Elijah Underwood, Edith Chapin, by Rev. Arthur W. Ackerman.
- 14 John Hjalmar Peterson, Ellen Coberg, at Medford by Rev. C. F. Johansson, Medford.
- 15 Angelo Trocchio, Louise Luberlfa, at South Framingham, by Rev. Pietro Maschi, South Framingham.
- 15 Everett Houghton, Emma Lavaina Barry, at Framingham, by Rev. Chester H. Howe. Framingham.

FEBRUARY

- 10 Roy Lester Fiske, Margaret Anna Bond, by Rev. John F. Phillips.

- 22 Arthur E. Fairbanks, Mabel L. Severance, by Rev. Albert A. Felch.
- 22 William Augustine McGrath, Mary Loretta Saunders, by Rev. John F. Kelly.

MARCH

- 12 Alexander James Montgomery, Hazel Gertrude Ward, by Rev. Albert A. Felch.

APRIL

- 8 George Lambit, Thelma Frances Durling at Cambridge, by Rev. H. P. Rankin, Cambridge.
- 12 James Joseph Sheehan, Louise Murray, by Rev. John F. Kelly.
- 14 John Frederick Hoey, Grace Louise Topham, by Rev. Henry A. Walsh.
- 17 Roy Francis Gray, Bernice Luna Mann, at Boston, by Rev. Wentworth F. Stewart, Boston.
- 19 Henry Eaton, Jr., Anna Brockman, by Rev. Albert H. Stanton.
- 25 Henry Nelson, Hannah Sidbeck, by Rev. A. F. Andrea, Waltham.
- 26 Camu arata Equazio, Angiolina Freda, at Boston, by Rev. F. Venceslao Bellucci, Boston.
- 29 Michael Frances Murphy, Prudence Sibly Lyon, by Rev. M. F. Delaney.
- 29 Archibald Nathaniel Harriott, Florence Beatrice Rafter, by Rev. Charles L. Sleight.
- 30 Charles Edward Reed, Mildred Gladys Adams, at Wellesley, by Rev. Francis B. White, Wellesley Hills.

MAY

- 2 Augustus W. Sprague, Jessie Grace Northrup, by Rev. Jerome Wood.

- 4 Henry Francis Keany, Rosanna Paul, by Rev. John F. Kelly.
- 14 Conray Moody Eldridge, Florence Leonora Dolloff, by Rev. Albert H. Stanton.
- 18 Henderson G. Pierce, Elizabeth D. Ulmer, by Rev. A. H. Stanton.

JUNE

- 1 Thomas Francis Halpin, Frances Mary Belger, by Rev. M. F. Delaney.
- 1 Thomas Edward McCormick, Julia Frances Murphy, by Rev. M. F. Delaney.
- 1 William Lawrence Branagan, Veronica Frances O'Brien, at Waltham, by Rev. P. J. Walsh, Waltham.
- 2 Alfred Gilson Woodward, Fanny Sturgis Wight, by Rev. A. H. Stanton.
- 10 John Francis Burke, Catherine G. Connolly, at Saxonville, by Rev. Hugh J. Cleary, Saxonville.
- 10 Deane Carmi Wilder, Ethel May Swift, at Framingham, by Rev. Harold Colson Feast, Framingham.
- 10 Arthur Fitton Marston, Edna Mae Bullard, by Rev. Albert A. Felch.
- 10 Alvin Felch, Leah Vesta Brummitt, by Rev. Albert A. Felch.
- 13 Antonio Camillucci, Ida Bachioche, at Framingham, by Rev. Pietro Maschi, South Framingham.
- 15 George Joseph Yeager, Addie Marion Northrup, by Rev. Charles L. Sleight.
- 16 Carl Eugene Gustafson, Grace Marion Nickerson at Attleboro by Rev. Arthur Greene, N. Attleboro.
- 16 Wallace Raymond Ireland, Emily Antoinette Williams, at Newton Centre by Rev. William M. Mick, Newton Centre.

- 16 Joseph George Hallenbrook, Cora Jennie Bigwood, at Co-
chituate, by Rev. Albert A. Felch.
- 17 Edwin Bacon Mann, Helen Faith Haviland, by Rev. M. F.
Delaney.
- 20 Herbert Robert Slye, Alice Roxana Wilbur by Rev. Jerome
Wood.
- 22 John Austin Hill, Cora Althea Bryant, at Waltham, by Rev.
C. W. Huntington, Waltham.
- 24 Patrick Francis Ormond, Georgianna Brown, by Rev. M. F.
Delaney.
- 25 James Henry O'Neill, Seretha Gray, by Rev. Albert A.
Felch.
- 25 Bernard Jennings, Mary Elizabeth Lee, by Rev. William
W. Sleeper, Wellesley.
- 27 Sumner Bryden Annis, Una Isabel Hollis, by Rev. Albert
H. Stanton.
- 29 Albert Bond, Grace Clestia Loker, at Cochituate by Rev.
Albert A. Felch.
- 29 Philip Primmer, Agnes Elizabeth O'Regan, by Rev. John
F. Kelly.

JULY

- 3 Walter Albro Childs, Ada Frances Richards, by Rev. Albert
H. Stanton.
- 6 Arthur Hamilton Mahan, Vivian Grant, at Concord, N. H.,
by Rev. W. Stanley Emery, Concord, N. H.
- 11 John William White, Mary Ellen Garvey, at Brockton, by
Rev. P. H. Walsh, Brockton.
- 19 George Alex Celorier, Annastasia Marie Walsh, by Rev.
John F. Kelly.
- 23 Clement Edward Garvin, Annie Teresa Harney, at West
Newton, by Rev. J. F. Keleher, West Newton.

- 25 Dana Bowers Hastings, Gertrude Alice Adams, at Fram-
ingham. by Rev. Chester H. Howe, Framingham.
- 29 George Peter Hume, Gertrude Pearl Holland, by Rev.
Arthur W. Ackerman.

AUGUST

- 4 William Francis Flynn, Ida Atbertine Stein at Beverly Farms
by Rev. N. R. Walsh, Beverly Farms.
- 11 Ray Morton Martin, Edith Monica Stiles by Rev. Albert A.
Felch.
- 11 Fred Putnam Mansfield, Emily Vaisey Stiles by Rev. Albert
A. Felch.
- 12 Whitman Cox Densmore, Hattie Frances Babcock by Rev.
John F. Phillips, Everett.
- 12 James Raymond Allen, Mabelle Helen Webb by Rev. M. F.
Delaney.
- 19 Edwin Wakefield Pierce, Mildred Amey Frost by Rev.
Albert H. Stanton.
- 25 Antoni Rozanski, Katherine Gawienowsky by Rev. John F.
Kelly.
- 26 Liberato Luoni, Josephine Davis by Rev. Albert A. Felch.
- 30 Reginald Matthews, Beatrice Thorbourn at Brookline by
Rev. Leonard K. Storrs, Brookline.

SEPTEMBER

- 3 Joseph Hazlett, Mary Magdalene Kelley by Rev. Henry A.
Walsh.
- 4 Edwin Warren Johnson, Minnie Rosella Nicholson at West
Newton by Rev. Robert W. Van-Kirk, West Newton.
- 6 Martin Leo Gilleran, Alice Marie Barnicle by Rev. M. F.
Delaney.

- 8 Arthur Prescott Scott, Myrtle Annis by Rev. Albert H. Stanton.
- 9 Henry William Johnson, Margaret Louise Cadorette at Cambridge by Rev. Hiram William Hook, Cambridge.
- 9 Waldo Emerson Hall, Annie May Boyd by Rev. Albert H. Stanton.
- 15 Clarence Henry Moshimer, Sarah Ethel Sproule by Rev. Henry A. Walsh.
- 16 Frank Clinton Bennett, Christine Leland Moses by Rev. A. H. Stanton.
- 17 David Emanuel Danielson, Harriett Sutton Webb by Rev. Nathan B. Akerman.
- 19 Oscar Person, Alma Holm by Rev. Henning Jacobson, Belmont.
- 21 Willard Jacob Walsh, Hazel Boynton Smith at Framingham by Rev. Chester H. Howe, Framingham.
- 23 Frederick Joseph Dupuis, Mary Agnes Moran by Rev. M. F. Delaney.
- 23 Raymond Richard Flood, Bernice Myrtle Jule by Rev. A. H. Stanton.
- 23 Francis Lionel Wheeler, Ethel May Coulter by Rev. Arthur W. Ackerman.
- 27 William Paul McGrath, Mary Florence Goss at Boston. by Rev. Michael J. Danahy, Dorchester.
- 30 Benjamin Clark, Nellie Marie Kearns by Rev. M. F. Delaney.

OCTOBER

- 4 James Alexander Killeen, Frances Mary McGlone by Rev. M. F. Delaney.
- 5 Adrian Davis Perry, Martha Evangelina Cutler by Rev. Alfred W. Birks.

- 6 Garland Sampson, Myrtie Adoline Hoyt by Rev. Albert A. Felch.
- 10 William Jewett Scotland, Hazel Howe by Rev. Albert A. Felch.
- 14 Joseph Kingsley Skillings, Eileen Theresa Monahan by Rev. John F. Kelly.
- 14 Harold Edwin Weatherby, Martha Rebecca Eleanor Pray by Rev. Charles L. Sleight.
- 14 David Henry Sands, Mary Elizabeth Malley by Rev. Henry A. Walsh.
- 18 Edward Patrick Brennan, Margaret McGillick by Rev. John F. Kelly.
- 19 Vangel Konary, Klianthe Ilo Matu at Hudson by Rev. Naum V. Cere, Boston.
- 21 George Stanley Turner, Sarah Isabella Drake by Rev. Albert H. Stanton.
- 25 Leo Lloyd Waite, Mary Alice Bartlett by Rev. Nathan B. Akerman.
- 28 John Francis Bradley, Isabella Gertrude Fair at South Framingham by Rev. J. F. Heffernan, South Framingham.

NOVEMBER

- 1 Walter Joseph Colburn, Gertrude Florence Yeager by Rev. M. F. Delaney.
- 10 Arthur Francis Casavant, Catherine Jane Foy at Worcester by Rev. Thos. S. Donoghue, Worcester.
- 11 Edwin Nathaniel Hasgill, Emma Elizabeth Gaines at Boston by Rev. Frank Fitz, Boston.
- 11 Edward Herbert Biedman, Carrie Lena Mathews by Rev. M. F. Delaney.
- 15 Efstathios Dionisios Kalamaras, Beatrice Zarokanelos by Rev. V. X. Dasnalanis, Worcester.

- 17 Frederick Lithco Hewins, Carrie Eliza Woodroffe by Rev. Albert H. Stanton.
- 25 Edward Eusebe Maynard, Sarah Marshall Hamilton by Rev. Arthur W. Ackerman.
- 25 Patrick Lawrence Gilbert Young, Josie Mary Lynch at East Weymouth by Rev. Raymond T. Brosnahan, East Weymouth.
- 25 Edmund Nelson Outhouse, Blanche Margaret Wheeler by Rev. John F. Kelly.
- 25 William John Whalen, Catherine Elizabeth Locke at Wellesley by Rev. Joseph E. Murphy, Wellesley.
- 26 Elmer Frederick Dearborn, Ruth Bernard by Rev. A. H. Stanton.
- 28 Israel Gurney Hunter, Mary Ellen Elliott by Rev. Jerome Wood.
- 28 Israel J. Sanford, Annie Marie Burrell by Rev. Jerome Wood.
- 28 William Joseph Barry, Elizabeth Marie Hall by Rev. M. F. Delaney.

DECEMBER

- 5 William Frances Garfield, Mary Ellen Murphy by Rev. Albert A. Felch.
- 6 Henry Francis Potter, Mildred Maud Wallis by Rev. Charles L. Sleight.
- 22 Hiry Derby, Mary Louise Adams by Rev. Albert A. Felch.
- 25 Chester Amhrose Hitchins, Mary Frances Stearns by Rev. Charles L. Sleight.
- 27 Richard Albert Stephenson, Mary Teresa Walsh by Rev. Henry A. Walsh.

- 31 Edward Leo Houlihan, Elizabeth Rose Scarry by Rev. John F. Kelly.
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Also 7 marriages not published. Total 117, against 105 for the preceding year.

DEATHS

Registered in Natick for the Year 1914

JANUARY

| Date | Name | Y | Age | | D |
|------|------------------------|----|-----|--|----|
| | | | M | | |
| 1 | Sarah G. Engel | 63 | 4 | | 0 |
| 5 | Ethel L. Crane | 0 | 9 | | 5 |
| 7 | Lyman Calvin Brown | 73 | 7 | | 7 |
| 9 | Franklin S. Smith | 41 | 3 | | 0 |
| 12 | Annie S. Parker | 74 | 7 | | 14 |
| 13 | Mary Gallagher | 70 | 0 | | 0 |
| 14 | Betsey Morse | 90 | 0 | | 14 |
| 17 | Filomena Flower | 19 | 0 | | 0 |
| 20 | Joseph F. Stone | 60 | 0 | | 0 |
| 23 | Edward Skahill | 85 | 0 | | 0 |
| 23 | Laura Augusta Ames | 38 | 6 | | 20 |
| 25 | Fred Bancroft Ambler | 41 | 8 | | 16 |
| 27 | Louis Gardella | 63 | 11 | | 0 |
| 28 | Clarence H. Scarry | 33 | 1 | | 28 |
| 29 | George Harwood Jackson | 70 | 1 | | 5 |
| 30 | Mary Elizabeth Drew | 76 | 0 | | 28 |

FEBRUARY

| Date | Name | Y | Age | | D ^s |
|------|------------------------------|----|-----|--|-----------------|
| | | | M | | |
| 3 | George W. Tolman | 42 | 0 | | 10 ^r |
| 4 | Fannie Tiffany | 65 | 0 | | 0 ^r |
| 4 | Martha W. Farwell | 90 | 0 | | 0 ^r |
| 5 | James Peters | 74 | 0 | | 0 ^r |
| 6 | Mary E. Everett | 53 | 0 | | 0 ^r |
| 10 | James Hoar | 66 | 0 | | 0 ^r |
| 11 | Matilda B. Tibbets | 80 | 11 | | 0 ^r |
| 13 | Lewis D. Gilbert | 47 | 6 | | 2 ^r |
| 14 | Abigail H. Hayward | 85 | 11 | | 0 ^r |
| 15 | Henrietta A. Haussler | 76 | 2 | | 16 ^r |
| 17 | Catherine Pearson | 83 | 0 | | 0 ^r |
| 19 | Edith Evangeline Crandlemire | 25 | 8 | | 13 ^r |
| 20 | George F. McKinney | 17 | 2 | | 17 ^r |
| 21 | Simon K. Eaton | 82 | 10 | | 0 ^r |
| 22 | Thomas Burke | 75 | 0 | | 0 ^r |
| 28 | Ellen M. Healy | 68 | 0 | | 0 ^r |

MARCH

| | | | | | |
|----|----------------------------|----|----|--|-----------------|
| 2 | Mary E. Meehan | 46 | 0 | | 0 ^r |
| 2 | Ariadne J. Mortimer | 61 | 6 | | 15 ^r |
| 3 | Almira H. Evans | 73 | 3 | | 0 ^r |
| 4 | Ellen M. Hickey | 53 | 0 | | 0 ^r |
| 10 | Nathan Sands | 83 | 8 | | 29 ^r |
| 11 | Helen Louise Thayer Bryant | 59 | 1 | | 10 ^r |
| 12 | Joseph Skahill | 0 | 1 | | 0 ^r |
| 12 | Tony Vezzola | 22 | 0 | | 0 ^r |
| 17 | Nellie V. Nickerson | 50 | 10 | | 2 ^r |
| 17 | Michael Sweeney | 73 | 0 | | 0 ^r |

| Date | Name | Age | | |
|------|-----------------------|-----|---|----|
| | | Y | M | D |
| 18 | Henry Stephen Stiles | 82 | 0 | 29 |
| 20 | Eugene J. McCarthy | 43 | 0 | 0 |
| 21 | John Finn | 70 | 0 | 0 |
| 25 | Dorinda C. Buell | 77 | 9 | 25 |
| 30 | William S. Ballentine | 0 | 9 | 7 |
| 31 | Luke Fannon | 55 | 0 | 0 |

APRIL

| | | | | |
|----|----------------------|----|----|----|
| 2 | Sidney Nason | 77 | 11 | 0 |
| 7 | John Brownell Cook | 69 | 7 | 12 |
| 8 | Joseph R. Thomas | 26 | 1 | 0 |
| 10 | Anne Fair | 80 | 0 | 0 |
| 13 | Charles Robert Maude | 63 | 11 | 7 |
| 13 | Susan R. Currier | 77 | 6 | 7 |
| 14 | Mary J. O'Connor | 55 | 1 | 5 |
| 18 | Annie Donald | 67 | 7 | 0 |
| 21 | Sarah E. Haynes | 67 | 6 | 29 |
| 24 | Emma F. Stacey | 38 | 3 | 14 |
| 25 | Andrew B. Sutherland | 57 | 9 | 25 |
| 29 | Louis DeGrasse | 55 | 0 | 0 |

MAY

| | | | | |
|----|------------------------|----|----|----|
| 1 | Patrick Quinn | 69 | 11 | 17 |
| 6 | Mary D. Clancy | 26 | 7 | 17 |
| 14 | Henry Hancock | 75 | 0 | 0 |
| 15 | Elizabeth Blair Haynes | 59 | 11 | 5 |
| 17 | Lucy A. Boardman | 84 | 11 | 17 |
| 18 | Cornelius W. Lucey | 72 | 0 | 0 |
| 22 | Sydney W. Moffatt | 23 | 7 | 21 |
| 23 | Florence Ione Griggs | 36 | 9 | 23 |

| Date | Name | Y | Age | | D |
|------|-------------------|----|-----|--|----|
| | | | M | | |
| 24 | Annie A'Hearn | 56 | 0 | | 0 |
| 26 | John Jacob Seifer | 78 | 9 | | 0 |
| 27 | Emma Jane Ripley | 76 | 11 | | 28 |
| 30 | Alice M. Harriman | 52 | 2 | | 13 |
| 30 | John McNicholas | 25 | 0 | | 0 |

JUNE

| | | | | | |
|----|-----------------------|----|----|--|----|
| 9 | George M. Foster | 63 | 0 | | 0 |
| 10 | Norton | 0 | 0 | | ½h |
| 10 | Reuben Kinsman Sawyer | 63 | 8 | | 21 |
| 11 | John B. Whalen | 66 | 0 | | 0 |
| 15 | Martha A. Whiting | 79 | 0 | | 0 |
| 17 | Percival C. Leavitt | 66 | 10 | | 0 |
| 18 | Raymond Eugene Clapp | 0 | 0 | | 1 |
| 19 | Ralph Ernest Clapp | 0 | 0 | | 2 |
| 25 | Charles Henry Flagg | 84 | 2 | | 14 |
| 26 | Frank L. Colburn | 27 | 0 | | 0 |

JULY

| | | | | | |
|----|------------------------|----|----|--|----|
| 6 | Hannah M. Butler | 76 | 10 | | 0 |
| 7 | John H. Lamont | 61 | 9 | | 0 |
| 10 | Ira Herbert Morse | 60 | 1 | | 11 |
| 12 | Ellen Frances Cayo | 58 | 4 | | 27 |
| 12 | Johanna H. Carey | 28 | 2 | | 10 |
| 13 | William Rankin | 64 | 11 | | 0 |
| 14 | Julia Estelle Sullivan | 21 | 7 | | 19 |
| 15 | George F. Wood | 65 | 11 | | 0 |
| 21 | John Henry | 4 | 1 | | 7 |
| 23 | Joseph Lozio | 27 | 0 | | 0 |

| Date | Name | Age | |
|------|-----------------|-----|---|
| | | Y | M |
| 25 | Magdalena Weber | 7Q | 9 |
| 26 | Emma J. Hosmer | 46 | 1 |

AUGUST

| | | | |
|----|----------------------|----|---|
| 10 | Arnold Wayne Perry | 0 | 0 |
| 11 | Annie Fuller Babcock | 32 | 8 |
| 19 | Elizabeth Franceose | 0 | 0 |
| 24 | Amy Smith | 36 | 4 |
| 26 | John Lane | 65 | 5 |
| 26 | Emma J. Ricker | 71 | 7 |
| 28 | Johanna C. Driscoll | 38 | 1 |

SEPTEMBER

| | | | |
|----|-------------------------|----|----|
| 1 | Louis F. Gay | 60 | 0 |
| 2 | Lancelot Warner | 23 | 11 |
| 7 | Julia F. Rogers | 52 | 0 |
| 13 | Jeannette B. Fox | 66 | 5 |
| 14 | Mary Abby Berry | 76 | 2 |
| 20 | Catherine Louise Waters | 24 | 9 |
| 24 | Catherine E. Buckley | 44 | 11 |
| 28 | Letty L. Washburn | 20 | 1 |
| 29 | Charles Bowen | 72 | 6 |

OCTOBER

| | | | |
|----|-----------------------|----|----|
| 2 | Martin V. B. Prescott | 78 | 9 |
| 7 | Bernard Slavin | 70 | 0 |
| 9 | Caroline H. Felton | 73 | 2 |
| 9 | Albert Wyman | 74 | 2 |
| 11 | Walter Hook | 11 | 10 |
| 22 | Dennis Looney | 65 | 0 |
| 23 | Fair | 0 | 0 |
| 24 | Ralph B. Pond | 6 | 8 |

12hrs.

| Date | Name | Y | Age | D |
|------|---------------------|----|-----|----|
| | | | M | |
| 25 | Doucette " | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| 28 | Arthur W. St. Louis | 57 | 1 | 0 |
| 29 | Frank Edgar Riley | 44 | 8 | 19 |

NOVEMBER

| | | | | |
|----|-----------------------|----|---|------|
| 1 | Lewis | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 1 | Myshrall | 0 | 0 | 5hrs |
| 2 | Mildred L. Brown | 19 | 6 | 0 |
| 2 | Blake | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| 3 | Penelope Nally | 69 | 0 | 0 |
| 3 | Mary Devitt | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| 9 | Alfred Coolidge Loker | 70 | 0 | 10 |
| 10 | Felch | 0 | 0 | 5hrs |
| 11 | Patrick Havers | 35 | 0 | 0 |
| 17 | Fenton Magill | 42 | 3 | 0 |
| 17 | Osgood H. Watson | 78 | 8 | 13 |
| 18 | Cyrus A. Roak | 70 | 5 | 2 |
| 30 | Goodwin | 0 | 0 | 2hrs |

DECEMBER

| | | | | |
|----|--------------------|----|----|----|
| 3 | Mildred A. Goodwin | 23 | 5 | 0 |
| 3 | Harry A. McKenzie | 32 | 1 | 10 |
| 4 | Alice F. Myshrall | 31 | 0 | 0 |
| 7 | Joseph E. DeWitt | 71 | 4 | 0 |
| 15 | Robert Bennett | 59 | 11 | 0 |
| 17 | Martha A. Hanson | 64 | 8 | 5 |
| 20 | Michael McGerty | 47 | 0 | 0 |
| 21 | Rose Ahern | 74 | 0 | 0 |

| | | | | |
|----|-------------------|----|---|---|
| 25 | Matilda Mousette | 95 | 0 | 0 |
| 30 | Catherine McGlone | 75 | 0 | 0 |

Total number registered (including still births, etc.) 152,
against 182 for year 1913.

INTOXICATING LIQUORS

Nine licenses, seven first class and two fourth class were granted during the year. Eight licenses sixth class (druggist) were also granted. The net income to the town from this source was \$10,131.00.

DOGS

Whole number of licenses issued up to Dec. 1, 1914, 459; males, 409; females, 48; 1 breeders' license at \$50 and 1 breeders' license at \$25. Amount of money turned over to County Treasurer, \$1041.20, and this, less the necessary percentage retained by the County, will be refunded to the town.

Respectfully submitted

WILLIAM O. CUTLER,

Town Clerk

I have examined the financial account of the Town Clerk, relating to Dog Licenses for the year 1914 and find the same to be correct.

THOMAS J. SHEA,

Auditor

January 14, 1915

REPORT OF THE SEALER
OF
WEIGHTS AND MEASURES
OF THE
TOWN OF NATICK

JANUARY 1, 1915

REPORT OF THE SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen;

In compliance with the law I have the honor to submit the Annual Report of the Weights and Measures Department of the Town of Natick, for the eleven months ending January 1st, 1915

| | Adjusted | Sealed | Con- demned | Non Sealed | Totals |
|---------------------------------|----------|--------|----------------|---------------|--------|
| Platform Scales over 5000 lbs. | 9 | 13 | | | 22 |
| Platform Scales under 5000 lbs. | 23 | 87 | 2 | 7 | 119 |
| Computing Scales | 2 | 28 | 1 | 2 | 34 |
| Slot Personal Scales | | 11 | | | 11 |
| Prescription Scales | 2 | 12 | | 1 | 15 |
| All other Scales | 23 | 183 | 1 | 12 | 219 |
| Avoirdupois Weights | 47 | 714 | 1 | 44 | 806 |
| Apothecary Weights | 12 | 162 | 37 | 17 | 228 |
| Metric Weights | 5 | 74 | | 16 | 95 |
| Glass Graduates | | 91 | 5 | | 96 |
| Dry Measures | | 48 | 1 | 5 | 54 |
| Liquid Measures | | 333 | 4 | 2 | 339 |
| Yard Sticks | | 24 | 4 | | 28 |
| Oil and Molasses Pumps | | 28 | 1 | 2 | 31 |
| Totals | 123 | 1808 | 57 | 109 | 2097 |

| | | |
|--------------|----------------------|-----|
| Inspections: | Ice Teams | 57 |
| | Hawkers and Peddlers | 61 |
| | Junk Dealers | 27 |
| | Milk Wagons | 57 |
| | Coal Certificates | 29 |
| | Stores | 190 |

| | |
|-------|-----|
| Total | 421 |
|-------|-----|

Weighing and Measurements:

| | |
|-------------------------|-----|
| Dry Groceries | 731 |
| Ice | 9 |
| Potatoes | 88 |
| Butter | 49 |
| Flour | 8 |
| Coal Weighing in Wagons | 24 |
| Berry Baskets | 104 |
| Wet Groceries | 105 |
| Milk Jars | 120 |

| | |
|-------|------|
| Total | 1238 |
|-------|------|

Amount of work performed in office from February 1, 1914 to January 1st, 1915, and for which no fees were charged.

| | |
|-----------------------------------|-----|
| Scales of all descriptions tested | 32 |
| Weights tested | 54 |
| Dry Measures tested | 7 |
| Wet Measures tested | 146 |
| Milk Jars tested | 120 |
| Total | 369 |

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|---|----------|
| Total amount of Fees collected and paid to Town Treasurer from February 1, 1914 to January 1, 1915 | \$117.65 |
| Salary of Sealer of Weights and Measures | \$150.00 |
| Time worked by Sealer, 116 days, | |

The Standard Scales, Weights and Measures owned by the State are in good condition. The weights have been tested in accordance with the law and sealed.

Working Weights and Measures

1 Gurley Balance, (new)

Iron Weights, 10-50 lbs.

Brass Weights (in case) 4, 2, 1 lbs; 8, 4, 2, 1, $\frac{1}{2}$, $\frac{1}{4}$, $\frac{1}{8}$,
1-16 oz.

Nickel Weights, -5, 10, 20 lbs.

1 1-lb. Nickel Hanger Weight

Wooden Dry Measures, 16, 8, 2, 1 qts.

Liquid Measures

Dull Nickel plated 1 1-gal.

Copper, 4, 2, 1 qts.; 1, $\frac{1}{2}$ pts; 1 gill

1 Copper Funnel

1 Tin Funnel

1 Brass Dry Measuring Rule

1 Yard Measure

1 Seal Clamp

1 Seal Punch

Apothecary Scales, Weights and Measures

1 Prescription Balance

1 set of Apothecary Weights. 50 gr. to 1-10 gr.

1 set of Metric Weights, 500 to 10 milligrams

1 set of Grain Weights, 4 glass graduates.

Tools and Supplies

Tools in wooden case

Portable Drill

4 Steel Drills

1 Monkey Wrench

1 Pipe Wrench

1 Pocket Level

1 Inspection Lamp

1 Large Flat File

- 1 Triangular File
- 1 Large Screw Driver
- 1 Small Screw Driver
- 3 Scale Wrenches
- 1 Clamp
- 1 Hammer

Misc. Articles

- 9 Steel Dies. $\frac{1}{2}$ inch
- 7 Steel Dies, $\frac{1}{8}$ inch
- 1 "Condemned" Die, $\frac{1}{8}$ inch
- 3 Steel Punches
- 1 Steel Seal $\frac{1}{2}$ inch
- 1 Steel Seal $\frac{1}{8}$ inch
- 1 Steel Seal 1-16 inch
- 1 Rubber Stamp
- 1 Pair Pliers
- 1 Coal Re-weighing Pad
- 2 lbs. Lead Wire
- 250 Paper Seals
- 25 Lead Seals
- 200 Non Seal Labels

On account of the laws passed this year the Town has been obliged to buy new equipment at a total cost of \$27.35.

The new laws increase the work of the Sealer by requiring him to test and seal all apothecary scales, weights and measures and to keep a record of all his weighings and measurements and of all the work done by him.

I wish to extend my thanks to the many who have assisted me in my work.

Respectfully submitted

. CHARLES H. HOLLIS,

SEALER

ANNUAL REPORT
of the
BOARD OF FIRE ENGINEERS
of the
TOWN OF NATICK

For the Year Ending December 31, 1914.

OFFICERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT
AND
BOARD OF ENGINEERS

CHIEF, T. J. DEIGNAN

JOHN E. COLEMAN

GEO. H. HEINLEIN

CLERK, W. H. CONNELLY

CAPTAINS

E. P. CLARK

Ladder No. 1

W. H. CONNELLY

Hose No. 1

H. J. HOPF

Hose No. 2

B. W. GREEN

Hose No. 3

J. T. McGRATH

Hose No. 4

SUPERINTENDENT OF FIRE ALARM

EDWARD F. McGRATH

REPORT OF THE FIRE ENGINEERS

To the Citizens of the Town of Natick :

We respectfully submit the following report of the Fire Department for your consideration:

| | | |
|----------------------------|----|-----|
| Total number of calls | | 125 |
| Bell alarms | 78 | |
| Telephone and still alarms | 47 | 125 |

Damage to buildings are as follows : total, 6; partial, 21; no claim, 20.

| | | |
|--------------------------------|----|-----|
| Total number of building fires | 47 | |
| Other than building fires | 78 | 125 |

Damage to buildings and contents, \$18,870.80

REMARKS

Although the number of building fires is large the loss is small, considering the location of some of the fires we were called upon to fight. All but one of our total losses were on the outer edge of the town, the other was on top of Walnut hill, and we feel sure that if we had had the means of getting to those fires more quickly we would have been able to save them from total loss.

We feel justified in recommending a piece of motor apparatus which would enable us to get to fires more quickly, thereby keeping the losses down.

| | | |
|----------------------------------|---------|-------------|
| Appropriation | | \$10,092.19 |
| Received from police department | \$63.70 | |
| Received from road department | 20.00 | |
| Received from Dover fire | 160.00 | |
| Received from Wellesley fire | 90.00 | |
| Received from fireworks permits | 17.50 | |
| Received from town scales | 25.20 | 376.40 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$10,468.59 |
| Running expenses and pay roll | | 10,466.91 |
| | | <hr/> |
| Unexpended balance | | 1.68 |
| Appropriation for fire alarm box | | 250.00 |
| Gamewell Fire Alarm Co. | 125.00 | |
| No. 1 Pettingell-Andrews Co. | 99.19 | |
| No. 2 Gamewell Fire Alarm Co. | 3.45 | |
| No. 3 N. O. Goulding | 1.15 | |
| No. 4 Wm. F. McGrath | 2.50 | |
| No. 5 Fred A. Clough | 5.00 | |
| No. 6 John H. Meagher | 2.50 | |
| No. 7 Edward A. Hogan | 8.50 | |
| No. 8. Pettingell-Andrews Co. | 4.22 | |
| | <hr/> | |
| | | 251.51 |
| Overdraw | | 1.51 |
| | | <hr/> |
| Unexpended balance | | .17 |

Expenditures of the Natick Fire Department

From Feb. 1, 1914, to Jan. 1, 1915

| Order No. | Date | To whom paid | Amount |
|-----------|----------|-------------------------|---------|
| 1 | March 25 | Edward F. McGrath | \$77.50 |
| 2 | | Fred H. Clough | 3.38 |
| 3 | | Edward P. Brennan, Jr. | 8.13 |
| 4 | | John H. Neary | 2.50 |
| 5 | | John Meagher | 2.50 |
| 6 | | James J. Doyle | 2.50 |
| 7 | | Pettingill-Andrews Co. | 7.47 |
| 8 | | Robinson & Jones Co. | 16.06 |
| 9 | | Natick Steam Laundry | 5.60 |
| 10 | | Natick Protective Union | 5.38 |
| 11 | | Colby & Co. | 1.14 |
| 12 | | Joseph L. O'Brien | 7.00 |
| 13 | | Geo. H. Heinlein | 3.50 |
| 14 | | William J. Burke | 1.75 |
| 15 | | C. O. Eaton Co. | 3.54 |
| 16 | | Henry C. Doughty | 4.50 |
| 17 | | Fiske & Co. | 3.72 |
| 18 | | Natick Gas Light Co. | 4.20 |
| 19 | | Somerville Brush Co. | 3.46 |
| 20 | | John J. McGrath | 2.60 |
| 21 | | Edward F. McGrath | 77.00 |
| 22 | | Natick Water Department | 10.95 |

| | | | |
|----|---------|---------------------------------|--------|
| 23 | | Gamewell Fire Alarm Co. | 97.21 |
| 24 | April 1 | B. E. Darling | 15.00 |
| 25 | | Geo. H. Heinlein | 12.50 |
| 26 | | Edward F. McGrath | 5.00 |
| 27 | | Captain H. J. Hopf | 65.00 |
| 28 | | Captain B. W. Green | 27.00 |
| 29 | | Fred H. Clough | 3.38 |
| 30 | | Edward P. Brennan, Jr. | 2.25 |
| 31 | | New England Tel. & Tel. Co. | 18.24 |
| 32 | | Edison Elec. Ill. Co. | 37.80 |
| 33 | | Robinson & Jones Co. | 14.00 |
| 34 | | Union Lumber Co. | 81.79 |
| 35 | | H. I. Dallman Co. | 33.40 |
| 36 | | F. Diehl & Son | 56.11 |
| 37 | | Edward N. Gray | 1.50 |
| 38 | | W. M. Todd Co. | 6.87 |
| 39 | | J. W. Doon & Son | 82.65 |
| 40 | | A. G. Brewer | 1.50 |
| 41 | | Metropolitan Coal Co. | 37.90 |
| 42 | | J. E. Nickerson | 1.50 |
| 43 | | Edward F. McGrath | 4.44 |
| 44 | | Edward F. McGrath | 85.25 |
| 45 | | John E. Coleman | 7.50 |
| 46 | | Edward A. Hogan | 107.50 |
| 47 | 15 | Review Printing Co. | 9.25 |
| 48 | | New England Tel. & Tel. Co. | 9.18 |
| 49 | | Edison Elec. Ill. Co. | 18.70 |
| 50 | | F. Diehl & Son | 9.00 |
| 51 | | Natick Gas Light Co. | 1.50 |
| 52 | | Howe & Co. | 1.05 |
| 53 | | L. P. Stone | 5.00 |
| 54 | | H. M. Stone | 5.00 |
| 55 | | Edward F. McGrath | 2.50 |
| 56 | | H. F. Cushings & Co. | 10.00 |
| 57 | | C. C. C. Fire Hose & Rubber Co. | 319.50 |
| 58 | | Fiske & Co. | 1.74 |

| | | | |
|----|----|----------------------------|--------|
| 59 | | J. W. Doon & Son | 21.02 |
| 60 | 22 | Western Electric Co. | 79.35 |
| 61 | | Natick Steam Laundry | 10.00 |
| 62 | | N. O. Goulding | 1.55 |
| 63 | | Natick Water Department | 567.50 |
| 64 | | Chief B. E. Darling | 43.75 |
| 65 | | Engineer J. E. Coleman | 25.00 |
| 66 | | Engineer G. H. Heinlein | 25.00 |
| 67 | | Captain E. P. Clark | 206.25 |
| 68 | | Captain A. R. Butters | 150.00 |
| 69 | | Captain Henry Hopf | 168.75 |
| 70 | | Captain B. W. Green | 168.75 |
| 71 | | Captain J. T. McGrath | 168.75 |
| 72 | | L. P. Stone | 31.25 |
| 73 | | H. M. Stone | 18.74 |
| 74 | | L. A. Drake | 18.75 |
| 75 | | H. M. Robbins | 31.25 |
| 76 | | G. H. Schneider | 18.75 |
| 77 | | R. W. Sproule | 18.75 |
| 78 | | L. F. Yeager | 6.25 |
| 79 | | Thomas Foley | 18.75 |
| 80 | | William H. Connelly | 6.25 |
| 81 | 29 | Edward F. McGrath | 82.50 |
| 82 | | Edward P. Brennan, Jr. | 9.00 |
| 83 | | J. G. Schaller | 20.77 |
| 84 | | Walsh Safety Lock Snap Co. | 6.16 |
| 85 | | Natick Protective Union | 2.00 |
| 86 | | Charles T. Brooks | 16.00 |
| 87 | | John B. Moyse | 10.80 |
| 88 | | Standard Extinguisher Co. | 5.25 |
| 89 | | Edward F. McGrath | 1.69 |
| 90 | | Natick Water Department | 567.50 |
| 91 | | Natick Water Department | 1.36 |
| 92 | | William Simmons | 20.30 |
| 93 | | B. E. Darling | 10.00 |
| 94 | | J. E. Coleman | 5.00 |

| | | | |
|-----|---------|-----------------------------|--------|
| 95 | | W. H. Connelly | 45.00 |
| 96 | May 14 | New England Tel. & Tel. Co. | 8.40 |
| 97 | | Edison Elec. Ill. Co. | 5.90 |
| 98 | | Natick Gas Light Co. | 2.70 |
| 99 | | Fiske & Co. | .90 |
| 100 | | A. W. Atwood | 1.00 |
| 101 | | F. Diehl & Son | 8.34 |
| 102 | | Robinson & Jones Co. | 8.25 |
| 103 | | Natick Water Dept. | .99 |
| 104 | | W. M. Hayward | 1.05 |
| 105 | | Fred S. Bancroft | 3.00 |
| 106 | | Edward P. Brennan, Jr. | 3.38 |
| 107 | | Edward A. Hogan | 7.00 |
| 108 | | George A. Duke | 75.00 |
| 109 | 28 | N. O. Goulding | 1.43 |
| 110 | | Edison Elec. Ill. Co. | 3.00 |
| 111 | | N. O. Goulding | .90 |
| 112 | | Gamewell Fire Alarm Co. | 160.96 |
| 113 | | Duncan McLaughlin | 3.50 |
| 114 | | Edward F. McGrath | 85.25 |
| 115 | June 18 | New England Tel. & Tel. Co. | 5.01 |
| 116 | | Edison Elec. Ill. Co. | 5.60 |
| 117 | | Natick Gas Light Co. | 1.95 |
| 118 | | Wright & Sons | 6.21 |
| 119 | | William A. Simmons | 4.15 |
| 120 | | Fiske & Co. | 2.00 |
| 121 | | J. W. Doon & Son | 8.25 |
| 122 | | Edward P. Brennan, Jr. | 2.25 |
| 123 | July 2 | Edison Elec. Ill. Co. | 2.20 |
| 124 | | F. Diehl & Son | 3.33 |
| 125 | | Edison Elec. Ill. Co. | .18 |
| 126 | | Fitts Brothers | 5.00 |
| 127 | | Natick Water Dept. | .48 |
| 128 | | Edward P. Brennan, Jr. | 2.25 |
| 129 | | Edward F. McGrath | 82.50 |
| 130 | | New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co. | 4.81 |

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| 131 | | Natick Gas Light Co. | 3.15 |
| 132 | | Natick Water Dept. | 567.50 |
| 133 | | Thomas Deignan | 2.00 |
| 134 | 16 | Union Lumber Co. | 50.23 |
| 135 | | Natick Water Dept. | 23.87 |
| 136 | | Natick Sewer Dept. | 7.00 |
| 137 | | Edison Elec. Ill. Co. | 4.10 |
| 138 | | New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co. | 3.05 |
| 139 | | Edward P. Brennan, Jr. | 2.25 |
| 140 | | Fiske & Co. | 3.85 |
| 141 | July 16 | F. B. Twitchell | 1.85 |
| 142 | 23 | Thomas J. Deignan, chief | 43.75 |
| 143 | | John E. Coleman, engineer | 25.00 |
| 144 | | George H. Heinlein, engineer | 25.00 |
| 145 | | Captain E. P. Clark | 206.25 |
| 146 | | Captain W. H. Connelly | 150.00 |
| 147 | | Captain H. J. Hopf | 168.75 |
| 148 | | Captain B. W. Green | 168.75 |
| 149 | | Captain J. T. McGrath | 168.75 |
| 150 | | L. P. Stone | 31.25 |
| 151 | | H. M. Stone | 18.75 |
| 152 | | L. A. Drake | 18.75 |
| 153 | | H. M. Robbins | 31.25 |
| 154 | | G. H. Schneider | 18.75 |
| 155 | | R. W. Sproule | 18.75 |
| 156 | | L. F. Yeager | 6.25 |
| 157 | | Thomas Foley | 18.75 |
| 158 | | W. H. Connolly | 6.25 |
| 159 | 30 | Edward F. McGrath | 85.25 |
| 160 | | John D. McKeil | 51.28 |
| 161 | | W. M. Todd Co. | 85.00 |
| 162 | | R. W. LeBarron | 17.96 |
| 163 | | Edward A. Hogan | 10.50 |
| 164 | | Edison Elec. Ill. Co. | 1.50 |
| 165 | | Frank H. Newcomb | 3.50 |
| 166 | | Natick Steam Laundry | 16.00 |

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| 167 | | Natick Water Dept. | .50 |
| 168 | Aug. 27 | Natick Protective Union | 4.75 |
| 169 | | Robinson & Jones Co. | 75.00 |
| 170 | | Natick Water Dept. | 6.00 |
| 171 | | Edward P. Brennan, Jr. | 3.38 |
| 172 | | Edison Elec. Ill. Co. | 6.20 |
| 173 | | New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co. | 5.31 |
| 174 | | Natick Gas Light Co. | 3.00 |
| 175 | | Fiske & Co. | .50 |
| 176 | | John B. Moyse | 4.00 |
| 177 | | William A. Simmons | 3.10 |
| 178 | | Edward F. McGrath | 85.25 |
| 179 | Oct. 1 | Edward F. McGrath | 82.50 |
| 180 | | Pierse Butler | 165.00 |
| 181 | | F. Diehl & Son | 3.75 |
| 182 | | F. P. Caswell | 151.83 |
| 183 | | R. W. LeBarron | 4.96 |
| 184 | | Gamewell Fire Alarm Co. | .60 |
| 185 | | Edward A. Hogan | 10.50 |
| 186 | | New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co. | 7.76 |
| 187 | | Edison Elec. Ill. Co. | 6.90 |
| 188 | | J. W. Doon & Son | 18.76 |
| 189 | | Natick Water Dept. | .09 |
| 190 | | Edison Elec. Ill. Co. | .52 |
| 191 | | A. G. Brewer | 6.00 |
| 192 | | Standard Extinguisher Co. | 6.00 |
| 193 | | Natick Gas Light Co. | 2.70 |
| 194 | | D. W. Richardson | 3.85 |
| 195 | | Natick Protective Union | 1.35 |
| 196 | | George H. Heinlein | 2.25 |
| 197 | | F. P. Caswell | 1.10 |
| 198 | 8 | Western Electric Co. | 64.73 |
| 199 | | Robinson & Jones Co. | 8.88 |
| 200 | | Edison Elec. Ill. Co. | 6.00 |
| 201 | | New England Tel. & Tel. Co. | 4.25 |
| 202 | | William A. Simmons | 5.55 |

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| 203 | | Howe & Co. | .50 |
| 204 | | Natick Gas Light Co. | 2.70 |
| 205 | | Frank B. Twitchell | 1.50 |
| 206 | | E. E. Gray & Co. | 6.35 |
| 207 | | H. L. Dallman Co. | 13.50 |
| 208 | 22 | Edison Electric Ill. Co. | 2.90 |
| 209 | | Est. of E. Whalen | 1.65 |
| 210 | | C. O. Eaton Co. | 1.40 |
| 211 | | J. F. Ulrich | 14.32 |
| 212 | | Thomas Deignan, Chief | 43.75 |
| 213 | | John E. Coleman, Engineer | 25.00 |
| 214 | | George H. Heinlein, Engineer | 25.00 |
| 215 | Oct. 22 | Capt. E. P. Clark | 206.25 |
| 216 | | Capt. W. H. Connelly | 150.00 |
| 217 | | Capt. H. J. Hopf | 168.75 |
| 218 | | Capt. B. W. Green | 168.75 |
| 219 | | Capt. J. T. McGrath | 168.75 |
| 220 | | L. P. Stone | 31.25 |
| 221 | | H. M. Stone | 18.75 |
| 222 | | L. A. Drake | 18.75 |
| 223 | | H. M. Robbins | 31.25 |
| 224 | | G. H. Schneider | 18.75 |
| 225 | | R. W. Sproule | 18.75 |
| 226 | | L. F. Yeager | 6.25 |
| 227 | | Thomas Foley | 18.75 |
| 228 | | W. H. Connelly | 6.25 |
| 229 | | F. P. Caswell | 28.00 |
| 230 | 29 | Edward F. McGrath | 85.25 |
| 231 | | Milton E. Hall | 30.00 |
| 232 | | Natick Steam Laundry | 13.70 |
| 233 | Nov. 12 | Natick Water Dept. | 377.50 |
| 234 | | Edison Elec. Ill. Co. | 14.00 |
| 235 | | New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co. | 4.59 |
| 236 | | F. Diehl & Son | 38.42 |
| 237 | | J. W. Doon & Son | 12.75 |
| 238 | | Robinson & Jones Co. | 1.00 |

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| 239 | | Fair Brothers | 63.00 |
| 240 | | W. H. Metcalf | 2.00 |
| 241 | | John J. Doyle | 2.50 |
| 242 | | Fairbanks & Son | .70 |
| 243 | | Natick Gas Light Co. | 4.05 |
| 244 | | The Fiske Corporation | 1.15 |
| 245 | | Natick Protective Union | 3.50 |
| 246 | | Fitts Bros. | 3.08 |
| 247 | 19 | John F. Mullen | 116.50 |
| 248 | | Edward A. Hogan | 24.50 |
| 249 | | Underwood Furniture Co. | 9.50 |
| 250 | Dec. 3. | Edward F. McGrath | 82.50 |
| 251 | | Edison Elec. Ill. Co. | .70 |
| 252 | | New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co. | 6.28 |
| 253 | | Natick Gas Light Co. | 3.15 |
| 254 | | Natick Steam Laundry | 1.53 |
| 255 | | A. G. Brewer | .35 |
| 256 | | Underwood Furniture Co. | 6.40 |
| 257 | 10 | Edison Elec. Ill. Co. | 8.66 |
| 258 | | John B. Moyse | 11.60 |
| 259 | | William A. Simmons | 19.75 |
| 260 | | The Fiske Corporation | 2.71 |
| 261 | | William M. Brown | 5.00 |
| 262 | | T. F. Whalen | 1.50 |
| 263 | | C. O. Eaton Co. | 6.26 |
| 264 | | D. W. Richardson | 3.25 |
| 265 | | Natick Protective Union | 2.25 |
| 266 | | Cochrane Chemical Co. | 1.15 |
| 267 | | Mrs. S. K. Donnelly | 4.40 |
| 268 | 17 | Edison Elec. Ill. Co. | 5.60 |
| 269 | | R. T. Barker | 4.33 |
| 270 | | L. A. Brown | 5.00 |
| 271 | | Mrs. S. K. Donnelly | .90 |
| 272 | | Thomas Deignan, Chief | 29.16 |
| 273 | | John E. Coleman, Engineer | 16.67 |
| 274 | | Geo. H. Heinlein, Engineer | 16.67 |

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| 275 | | Capt. E. P. Clark | 137.50 |
| 276 | | Capt. W. H. Connelly | 100.00 |
| 277 | | Capt. H. J. Hopf | 112.50 |
| 278 | | Capt. B. W. Green | 112.50 |
| 279 | | Capt. J. T. McGrath | 112.50 |
| 280 | | L. P. Stone | 20.84 |
| 281 | | H. M. Stone | 12.50 |
| 282 | | L. A. Drake | 12.50 |
| 283 | | H. M. Robbins | 20.83 |
| 284 | | G. H. Schneider | 12.50 |
| 285 | | R. W. Sproule | 12.50 |
| 286 | | L. F. Yeager | 4.17 |
| 287 | | Thomas Foley | 12.50 |
| 288 | | W. H. Connelly | 6.25 |
| 289 | Dec. 31. | Natick Steam Laundry | .93 |
| 290 | | Mrs. S. K. Donnelly | 1.85 |
| 291 | | Natick Protective Union | 1.10 |
| 292 | | James E. Cooper | .62 |
| 293 | | J. F. Ullrich | .80 |
| 294 | | Edward F. McGrath | 3.18 |
| 295 | | W. H. Connelly | 2.25 |
| 296 | | John J. Ahern | 2.50 |
| 297 | | D. W. Richardson | 2.50 |
| 298 | | New Eng. Tel. & Co. | 6.38 |
| 299 | | John F. Mullen | 8.88 |
| 300 | | Edward A. Hogan | 10.50 |
| 301 | | Edward F. McGrath | 85.25 |
| 302 | | J. W. Doon & Son | 22.11 |
| 303 | | Thomas Deignan | 1.60 |
| 304 | | Pettingill-Andrews Co. | 24.93 |
| 305 | | F. Diehl & Son | 9.38 |
| 306 | | C. O. Eaton Co. | 20.00 |
| 307 | | Colby & Co. | 9.96 |
| 308 | | W. M. Hayward | .40 |
| 309 | | Natick Gas Light Co. | 3.30 |

Fires and Alarms

- February 4. Box 25. Time, 5.30 a. m. Tash Est., Summer Street. Damage \$3,050.00.
- February 8. Box 19. Time, 4.30 p. m. Bacon Street Building. Damage \$50.00.
- February 13. Still. Time 12.50 p. m. Wilson School, School Street. No claim.
- February 23. Tel. Time, 2.50 p. m. H. I. Wright, Speen Street. No claim.
- March 10. Box 25. Time, 10.30 a. m. Mr. Hanna, Common Street. No claim.
- March 16. Still. Time, 2.30 p. m. Oak Grove School, So. Main Street. Damage \$50.00.
- March 16. Still. Time, 7.30 p. m. West Central Street. No claim.
- March 17 Box 29. Time, 4.30 a. m. Call to Wellesley.
- March 21. Box 27. Time, 12.05 p. m. Sheridan Street. Brush.
- April 2. Still. Time, 6.30 p. m. Dr. Story's auto, West Central Street. No claim.
- April 4. Box 25. Time, 4.25 p. m. Congregational Church, Main Street. No claim.
- April 10. Bell. Time 11.40 a. m. Bacon Street. Brush. No claim.
- April 10. Box 61. Time, 3.45 p. m. West Natick. Brush. No. claim.
- April 11. Automatic. Time, 7.25 p. m. Pratt Shoe Shop. No claim.
- April 11. Still. Time, 6.20 p. m. Telephone Office. No claim.
- April 13. Box 12. Time, 9.35 a. m. Kinsman Place.

- April 14. Box 17. Time, 12.10 p. m. Fence, North Avenue.
No claim.
- April 14. Box 31. Time, 1.20 p. m. Woodland, Street.
Brush.
- April 14. Still. Time, 4.20 p. m. Summer Street. Grass.
No claim.
- April 21. Box 61. Time, 4.30 p. m. Boardman's Camp,
Speen Street. Damage \$100.00.
- April 24. Box 34. Time, 9.05 p. m. Bonney's hen-shed, So.
Natick. Damage \$50.00.
- April 23. Box 43. Time, 12.20 p. m. Bacon Street. Brush.
No claim.
- April 23. Still. Time, 5.40 p. m. Middlesex Ave. Grass.
No claim.
- May 2. Box 21. Time, 8.39 p. m. Railroad Bed. Grass.
No claim.
- May 3. Box 27. Time, 2.05 p. m. Coolidge woods, Brush.
No claim.
- May 4. Still. Time, 12.50 p. m. Washington Ave. Fence.
Damage \$50.00.
- May 16. Box 48. Time, 10.05 a. m. Felchville. Grass.
Damage, none.
- May 16. Box 242. Time, 1.40 p. m. Rockland Street. Grass.
Damage, none.
- May 16. Still. Time, 11.40 p. m. Washington Street, back
of laundry. Damage, none.
- May 20. Telephone. Time, 9.30 a. m. Rosenthal's roof,
Main Street. Damage, none.
- May 23. Box 71. Time, 1.05 p. m. Worcester Street. Brush.
Damage, none.
- May 24. Box 34. Time, 6.40 p. m. Augustine's house, South
Natick. Damage \$185.80.

- May 25. Box 43. Time, 1.45 p. m. Langley's house, Bacon Street. Damage \$40.00.
- May 30. Box 25. Time, 7.45 p. m. Farren's house, Washington Avenue. No claim.
- June 2. Box 34. Time, 9.05 a. m. Schaller's house, South Natick. Damage \$25.00.
- June 7. Box 61. Time, 3.10 p. m. West Central Street. Brush. No claim.
- June 13. Still. Time, 6.00 a. m. Mullin's House, Middlesex Avenue. No Claim.
- June 13. Box 242. Time, 2.15 p. m. South Main Street. Brush. No claim.
- June 19. Box 27. Time, 11.05 a. m. Allen's house, East Street. Damage \$200.00.
- June 23. Still. Time, 5.05 p. m. Wilson house. No claim.
- June 24. Bell. Time, 11.10 p. m. Bridge, Worcester Street. Damage \$50.00.
- June 25. Box 63. Time, 8.12 a. m. Newton's house, Kendall Lane. Damage \$100.00.
- June 25. Box 61. Time, 1.50 p. m. Hartford Street. Woods.
- June 25. Still. Time, 10.55 p. m. Bridge, Worcester Street. Damage \$50.00.
- June 26. Box 43. Time, 11.00 a. m. Sheds at Sunnyside. No claim.
- June 27. Still. Time, 6.20 p. m. North Avenue. Grass.
- June 30. Box 23. Time, 1.5 p. m. Beals house, Forest Street. Damage \$600.00.
- June 30. Telephone. Time, 2.00 p. m. Park Avenue. Hay.
- June 30. Still. Time, 4.00 p. m. Park Avenue. Hay.
- June 30. Box 61. Time, 11.55 p. m. Brummett house, Mill Street. Damage \$700.00.

- July 1. Box 61. Time, 11.25 a. m. Brummett house, Mill Street. No claim.
- July 4. Box 23. Time, 12.20 a. m. High Street. Old shed. No claim.
- July 4. Still. Time, 2.40 a. m. J. J. Ahern's house, West Central Sireet, No claim.
- July 6. Still. Time, 2.10 a m. New High School. No claim.
- July 20. Telephone. Time, 5.15 a. m. Child's Block. No claim.
- July 20. Box 43, Time, 5.20 p. m. Hartford Street. Brush.
- July 22. Still. Time, 5.20 p. m. Summer Street. Rubbish.
- July 26. Telephone. Time, 9.00 a. m. Felchville. Brush.
- July 26. Telephone. Time, 2.00 p. m. Felchville. Brush.
- July 26. Telephone. Time, 2.10 a. m. Bridge at Sunkaway.
- July 26. Bell. Time, 8.00 p. m. Kansas Street. Brush.
- Aug. 12. Telephone. Time, 6.20 p. m. Automobile, West Central Street.
- Aug. 13. Telephone. Time, 12.00 m. Automobile, South Main Street.
- Aug. 19. Box 42. Time, 4.30 p. m. Second Street. Brush.
- Aug. 11. Box 34. Time, 7.55 p. m. Hunnewell's house, So. Natick. Damage \$20.00.
- Aug. 19. Still. Time, 9.00 a. m. Foley's house, Eliot Street.
- Aug. 20. Box 35. Time, 8.55 p. m. Buchman's house, South Natick. Damage \$125.00.
- Aug. 20. Box 242. Time, 12.55 a. m. Goodwin's house, Rockland Street. Damage \$1,200.00.
- Aug. 20. Box 32. Time, 11.20 a. m. Pleasant Street.
- Aug. 25. Box 42. Time, 2.20 p. m. Second Street. Brush.
- Aug. 26. Box 43. Time, 4.15 a. m. Ducher house, Hartford Street. Damage \$300.00.

Aug. 26. Still. Time, 5.20 p. m. Automobile, East Central Street.

Sept. 10. Box 43. Time, 1.20 p. m. Camp Tray. Brush.

Sept. 11. Box 25. Time, 11.40 p. m. Automobile, Middlesex Avenue.

Sept. 14. Telephone. Time, 5.30 p. m. Camp Tray. Brush.

Sept. 15. Bell. Time, 2.20 p. m. Camp Tray, Brush.

Sept. 16. Box 27. Time, 12.40 p. m. Coolidge woods. Brush.

Sept. 16. Box 27. Time, 2.20 p. m. Coolidge woods. Brush.

Sept. 22. Still. Time, 6.20 p. m. North Avenue. Grass.

Sept. 23. Still. Time, 6.10 p. m. Marion Street. Grass.

Sept. 24. Box 25. Time, 1.20 a. m. H. C. Mulligan's building, Highland Street. Damage 7,000.00.

Sept. 26. Box 43. Time, 11.20 a. m. Camp Tray. Brush.

Sept. 27. Box 43. Time, 1.30 p. m. Camp Tray. Brush.

Oct. 1. Box 12. Time, 10.20 p. m. Dr. Copithorn's house, North Main Street. Damage 200.00.

Oct. 2. Box 24. Time, 2.45 p. m. Mordis Barn, South Main Street.

Oct. 6. Still. Time, 2.45 p. m. Brown's house, Worcester Street.

Oct. 8. Box 63. Time, 12.05 p. m. Mill Street. Brush.

Oct. 9. Box 63. Time, 6.20 p. m. Mill Street. Brush.

Oct. 10. Box 48. Time, 11.05 p. m. Potter's house, North Main Street. Damage \$2000.00.

Oct. 12. Box 63. Time, 3.45 p. m. Kendall Lane. Brush.

Oct 13. Box 19. Time, 2.00 p. m. Beacon Street. Brush.

Oct. 13. Box 63. Time, 6.15 p. m. Kendall Lane. Brush.

Oct. 13. Box 43. Time, 7.45 p. m. Hartford Street, Brush.

Oct. 14. Box 23. Time, 7.40 a. m. Town Park. Brush.

Oct. 14. Box 63. Time, 12.20 p. m. Kendall Lane. Brush.

- Oct. 14. Box 43. Time, 2.15 p. m. Hartford Street. Brush.
- Oct. 15. Box 43. Time, 1.15 p. m. Hartford Street. Brush.
- Oct. 19. Still. Time, 7.50 p. m. Pratt's shoe shop.
- Oct. 21. Box 48. Time, 2.20 p. m. Oak Street. Brush.
- Oct. 21. Still. Time, 10.25 p. m. Wilson house, Summer Street.
- Oct. 24. Still. Time, 3.30 p. m. Drake's house, Central Street.
- Oct. 28. Still. Time, 4.05 p. m. Roberts house, Lake Street.
- Oct. 31. Still. Time, 11.45 a. m. Town Park, Brush.
- Oct. 31. Box 46. Time, 8.20 p. m. Worcester Street. Brush.
- Oct. 31. Box 61. Time, 8.55 p. m. Lake Avenue. Brush.
- Nov. 1. Still. Time, 5.10 p. m. Wellesley Park. Brush.
- Nov. 1. Still. Time, 8.30 p. m. Warren's garage, Middlesex Avenue. Damage \$5.00.
- Nov. 2. Still. Time, 7.30 p. m. Wellesley Park. Brush.
- Nov. 3. Box 61. Time, 7.25 p. m. Lake Avenue. Brush.
- Nov. 4. Still. Time, 8.10 p. m. Congregational Church, Main Street.
- Nov. 5. Box 26. Time, 12.03 p. m. East Central Street. Brush.
- Nov. 5. Box 35. Time, 1.30 p. m. McKinney house, South Natick. Damage \$20.00.
- Nov. 13. Still. Time, 12.05⁴ p. m. Bellevue Avenue. Brush.
- Nov. 13. Box 2.42. Time, 4.35 p. m. Oakland, Street. Brush.
- Nov. 14. Box 43. Time, 9.45 a. m. Chimeno barn, Speen Street. Damage \$2,500.00.
- Nov. 29. Box 27. Time, 1.00 p. m. Brush.
- Nov. 29. Bell. Time, 9.00 p. m. Worcester Street. Brush.
- Nov. 30. Bell. 2.30 p. m. Worcester Street. Brush.

- Dec. 5. Still. Time, 6.20 p. m. Dr. Mills house, North Main Street.
- Dec. 15. Box 61. Time, 10.30 a. m.. Kuratzkamps house, West Central Street. Damage \$100.00.
- Dec. 15. Still. Time, 11.50 a. m. Hunter's house, South Main Street.
- Dec. 24. Box 32. Time, 6.10 p. m. McCarthy's house, South Natick. Damage \$200.00.
- Dec. 26. Box 25. Time, 5.30 a. m. Brown's house, South Avenue. Damage \$50.00.
- Dec. 26. Box 25. Time, 6.45 a. m. Brown's house, South Avenue.
- Dec. 30. Still. Time, 8.20 p. m. Goodnow's house, Winne-
may Street.

Report of Superintendent of Fire Alarms.

Board of Fire Engineers:—

Gentlemen—In rendering my third annual report I will say that I have transmitted all fires this year with very good success. The system has had a thorough going over, the jars have received new elements and acid and the whistle has been put in first class condition, but to keep it in its present condition, it will require an appropriation similar to that of last year, as well as constant care.

We have reconstructed the wiring at So. Natick and Felchville so that we go direct to the strikers and tappers instead of going through the different houses as formerly.

The relocation of boxes 15, 16, 23, 27, 35 and 242 have brought the same more directly to the Central station and cut out about four miles of old wire that was a weakness in the system.

Number Two circuit is now confined wholly to the Central Fire station, making it possible to transmit an alarm if all the other circuits should be out of service, which could not have been done previous to this change.

We have also installed a new box at Wellesley Park, the number of which is 71.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD F. McGRATH,

Supt. Fire Alarm

REPORT OF CHIEF OF POLICE

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:—I herewith submit my report of service rendered, beginning February 1, 1914 and ending December 31, 1914.

ARRESTS.

| | Males | Females | Total |
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| Number in February | 28 | | 28 |
| “ March | 35 | 2 | 37 |
| “ April | 56 | | 56 |
| “ May | 123 | | 123 |
| “ June | 107 | 1 | 108 |
| “ July | 96 | | 96 |
| “ August | 110 | 1 | 111 |
| “ September | 88 | | 88 |
| “ October | 89 | | 89 |
| “ November | 103 | | 103 |
| “ December | 112 | | 112 |
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OFFENCE FOR WHICH ARRESTS WERE MADE

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| Assault | 34 |
| Assault with intent to Rape | 7 |
| Breaking and entering | 9 |
| Breaking and entering in the night-time | 4 |
| Carrying concealed weapons | 2 |
| Destroying property | 1 |

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| Drunkenness | 695 |
| Non-support | 7 |
| Larceny | 24 |
| Delinquent children | 6 |
| Obtaining money under false pretence | 1 |
| Violating Town By-Laws | 1 |
| Assault with intent to rob | 7 |
| Bastardy | 1 |
| Vagrancy | 120 |
| Trespass | 7 |
| Profanity | 1 |
| Disturbing the Peace | 15 |
| Liquor Nuisance | 1 |
| Malicious Mischief | 1 |
| Illegal keeping of liquor | 2 |
| Illegal Gaming | 2 |
| Evading Fare | 1 |
| Rape | 1 |
| Violating Pure Food Law | 1 |
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| Total | 951 |

IN GENERAL

The entire number of arrests in the year was 951, of these 947 were males, 4 were females; 495 were residents, 456 were non-residents; 914 were adults and 37 were minors.

MISCELLANEOUS REPORT

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| Amount of property stolen | \$900.00 |
| Amount of property recovered | 800.00 |
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| Fires reported | 7 |
| Street licenses | 7 |
| Stray teams cared for | 6 |
| Sick and disabled cared for | 8 |
| Doors found open | 40 |

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| Bicycles cared for | 38 |
| Defects in water-pipes reported | 9 |
| Defects in Sidewalks | 4 |
| Dead bodies cared for | 3 |
| Lost children cared for | 15 |
| Committed to Insane Hospital at Westboro | 12 |
| Committed to Foxboro, Inebriates | 7 |

The hours of labor are as follows:

Hiram J. Brown, 7 a. m. to 6 p. m.
 John A. Wardell, 12 m. to 11 p. m.
 Joseph Stone Jr., 6 p. m. to 4 a. m.
 James B. Sweeney, 8 p. m. to 7 a. m.
 Edward J. Murphy, 6 p. m. to 4 a. m.
 William J. Hogan, 6 p. m. to 4 a. m.
 Peter J. Nyland, Sunday officer.

REMARKS.

There were five search warrants issued in suppressing the illegal sale of liquor and in two searches no liquor was found.

In one case where liquor was found the defendant was found not guilty and in the other two cases the defendants were found guilty and ordered to pay a fine of fifty dollars each, from which sentence they appealed to the Superior Court at East Cambridge.

There were two search warrants issued for gambling and in both places there were gaming implements found and the defendants found guilty and sentence was imposed by the local court from which they appealed to the Superior Court at East Cambridge.

CONCLUSION.

In concluding my report I desire to take this opportunity to convey to the Honorable Board of Selectmen, Judge M. F. Kennedy, Judge F. N. Adams and Town Council Francis B. Burns, my sincere thanks for the kind co-operation which they

have extended to me in the performance of the duties of this office.

Respectfully submitted,

HIRAM J. BROWN,

CHIEF OF POLICE.

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

OVERSEERS OF THE POOR

OF THE

TOWN OF NATICK

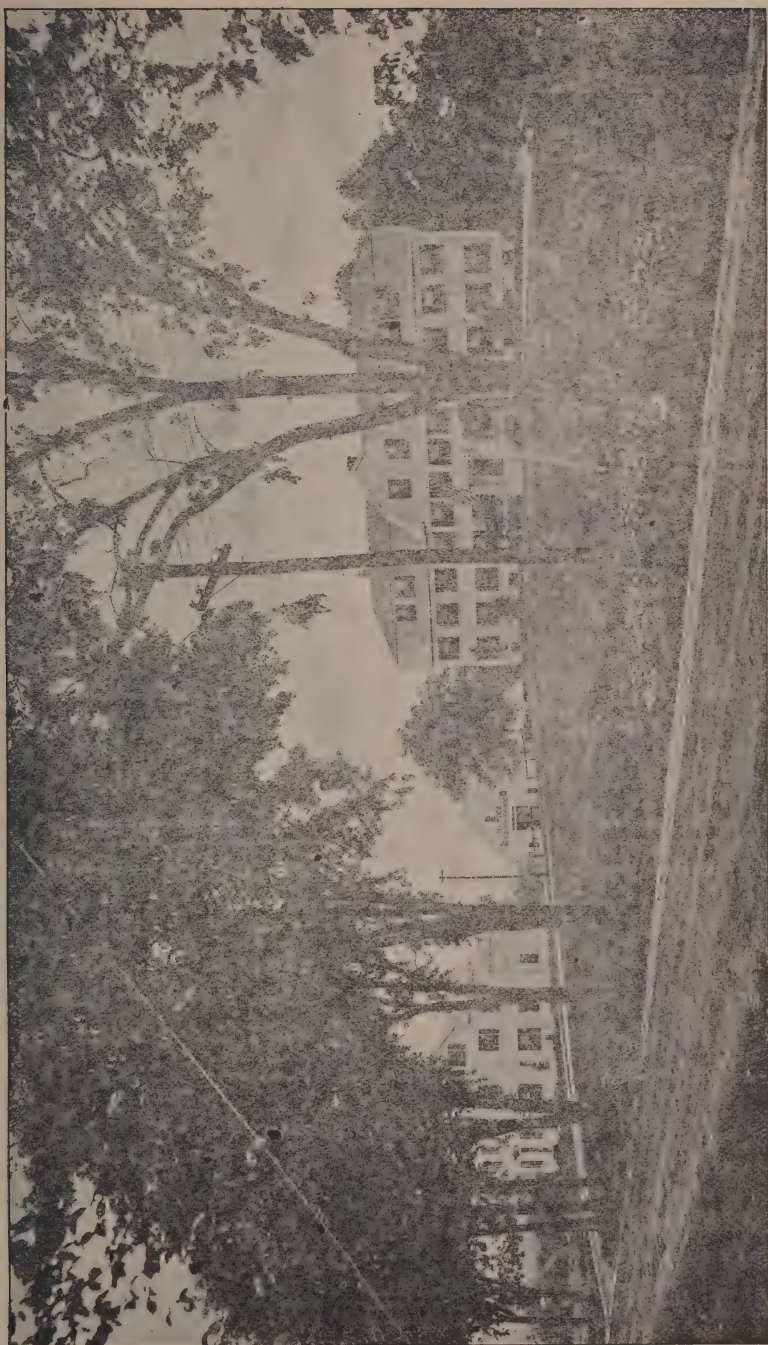
FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1914

OVERSEERS OF THE POOR.

HOWARD L. MOULTON

WILLIAM F. FINN

CHARLES L. KOPFF.



OVERSEERS OF THE POOR REPORT

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| Appropriation for the Poor | \$11,500.00 |
| Received from other Towns | 1042.29 |
| Received from Hayes & Spaulding Fund. | 126.22 |
| Aid reimbursed by Natick Friends | 110.00 |
| Received from Farm Produce | 2541.06 |

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| | \$15,319.57 |
| Total Expenditures | 14,827.63 |

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| Balance in Town Treasury | 491.94 |
| Due from Other Cities and Towns | 1646.33 |

INSIDE POOR (Town Home)

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| Paid for Inside Poor | 7043.01 |
| Received from Farm Produce | \$2540.71 |
| Wood delivered to Poor | 159.75 |
| Received from other Towns | 40.41 |
| Reimbursed by Natick Friends | 85.00 |
| Received from Hayes & Spaulding Fund | 126.22 |
| | <hr/> 2952.09 |

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| Net Cost of Inside Poor | \$4090.92 |
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OUTSIDE POOR

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| Paid for Outside Poor | \$7784.62 |
| Paid for Natick Poor | \$6,318.96 |
| Paid for Poor settled Elsewhere | 1,465.66 |
| | <hr/> \$7,784.62 |

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| Cash received from other Towns (1914) | 490.51 | |
| Due from other Towns (1914) | 1,646.33 | |
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| | | \$2,136.84 |
| Net cost of Outside Poor | | \$5,647.78 |

RECAPITULATION

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|----------------------------|------------|-------------|
| Net cost of Inside Poor | \$4,090.92 | |
| Net cost of Outside Poor | 5,647.78 | |
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| | | \$9,738.70 |
| Gross cost of Inside Poor | 7,043.01 | |
| Gross cost of Outside Poor | 7,784.62 | |
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| | | \$14,827.63 |

ABSTRACT OF EXPENDITURES

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| Miscellaneous | 45.89 |
| Groceries | 3,078.29 |
| Provisions | 1,088.64 |
| Fuel | 718.48 |
| Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes | 261.32 |
| Medical Attendance | 269.37 |
| Medicines | 148.65 |
| Burials | 65.00 |
| Hay, Grain, Manure, Seed, etc. | 1,553.41 |
| Hardware, Tools, Repairs | 211.49 |
| Rents | 991.00 |
| Board and Aid | 2,243.44 |
| Wages and Salaries | 1,457.43 |
| Telephone and Light | 110.36 |
| Hospital Bills | 1,052.56 |
| Printing Report | 10.00 |
| Live Stock | 570.00 |
| Furniture | 50.25 |
| Farm Implements | 54.00 |
| Water | 89.88 |

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| Legal Services | 25.00 |
| Insurance | 342.50 |
| Milk Room and Concrete Steps and Repairs | 390.67 |
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| | \$14,827.63 |

TOWN HOME

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| Number registered during 1914 | 47 |
| Present number | 24 |
| Smallest number | 14 |
| Number of weeks board | 1,150 |
| Board per week for inmates | 3.55 |
| Wood delivered to Outside Poor | 159 75 |

INVENTORY JANUARY 10, 1915

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| Real Estate | 23,150.00 |
| Personal Estate | 7,593.50 |

RECEIPTS FROM TOWN FARM

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| Received for Milk | \$1,782.78 |
| Received for Poultry and Eggs | 139.52 |
| Received for Live Stock | 460.00 |
| Received for Vegetables | 147.25 |
| Received for Miscellaneous | 11.51 |
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| | 2,541.06 |
| Cash paid into Town Treasury | 2,541.06 |

PERSONS RELIEVED DURING THE YEAR

Whole number of cases, 97, consisting of 260 persons.

Fifty-one of these cases, consisting of 147 persons, having settlement in Natick, were aided here.

Twenty-two of these cases, consisting of forty-four persons having settlement in Natick, were aided in other places.

Twenty-four of these cases, consisting of sixty-nine persons, and having a settlement in other places, were aided in Natick.

FUNDS

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| Sally Spaulding Fund in Natick Five Cents Savings Bank | \$1010.55 |
| Maria Hayes Fund in Natick Five Cents Savings Bank, | 544.43 |
| J. B. Walcott Fund, 40 shares Great Northern Pacific Great Northern R. R. Bonds | \$8,000.00 |
| One Natick Sewer Note | 1500.00 |
| One Natick Sewer Note | 2000.00 |
| One Natick Water Bond | 1000.00 |
| One Natick Town Note | 2000.00 |
| One Natick Town Note | 1000.00 |
| Interest in Bank | 1401.62 |
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| | \$16,901.62 |

In the year just ended there has been more want and poverty among the poor in Natick and elsewhere, than in a good many years past. Especially the latter half of the year has taxed the resources of the Poor Department to the utmost, so that we were obliged to come before the citizens of Natick, in a special town meeting, to ask for extra appropriations, to meet the increasing demands.

From other towns there have come calls for assistance, which were wholly unexpected, and the expenses of the Department have therefore increased somewhat, although it was a short year of eleven months.

There should be a change made in the disbursement of the Dependent Mothers Aid, and also a separate appropriation made for that purpose.

The act was a new one, and the outcome and the results of its working were somewhat in doubt, so that the two departments were combined and administered as one. The results of this legislation, however, have justified its enactment, and the

reports from all over the State have nothing but good words for it.

In the future there will be two separate departments and separate accounts kept, so that the citizens can see the working and the results of the act.

At present there are eleven cases of this kind, consisting of eleven mothers with twenty-eight children, and as far as we can judge the work of this legislation is very beneficial and wholesome.

The expense for these cases has been \$1,931.00. The Overseers of the Poor have bought a lot of wood this year all cut, at an extremely low price, and are supplied now for at least two years. In former years the wood was bought and cut on the lot by the department, but considering the low price they paid for this last lot, they are just as well off.

Considering the short year this time the farm has shown better than ever, \$2,541.00 having been paid over into the Town Treasury; this amount being the same as last year for twelve months.

Several acres of land have been reclaimed by the warden from the swamp land, and the wood land has been cleared up, so that in a few years there will be quite a growth of valuable wood on the farm.

The inmates are getting along well, and are content with their surroundings and care, although most of them are suffering from some ailment or other incident to their age.

There has been one death at the farm from cancer. The ages of the inmates range from fifty-five to seventy-nine years.

The money received from the Hayes & Spalding fund \$126.22, is used every year for the purpose of clothing the inmates of the farm, as was requested by the wills of the donors, and is quite a help to the department, as the clothing of the inmates does not cost the town anything.

The Overseers have built by contract, a new milk room outside of the barn to conform with the regulations of the Milk

Inspecting Department at a cost of \$322.00, also cement steps for the entrance of the main building, both of which were most necessary and add a great deal to the appearance of the place.

All citizens, men as well as women, are cordially invited to visit the farm and the home and convince themselves that the old people, who are not able to care for themselves, are well cared for in their home.

The warden and matron, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Carroll, will gladly give them ample opportunity to inspect everything inside as well as outside.

Respectfully submitted,

HOWARD L. MOULTON, Chairman

WILLIAM F. FINN,

CHARLES L. KOPFF, Clerk

Overseers of the Poor

Town Physician's Report

To the Board of Overseers of the Poor:—

Gentlemen:—The following is my report to your Board as Town Physician from February. 1 to December 31, 1914.

Total number of calls 209.

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| Inside Patients: House calls | 57 | Office calls | 7 |
| Outside Patients: House calls | 112 | Office calls | 33 |
| | <hr/> 169 | | <hr/> 40 |

There were three of the inside patients committed to the State hospital and three deaths of inside patients. There were three deaths of Outside patients: one at Morse hospital, one dying suddenly on the street and the other from automobile accident. One birth amongst Outside patients and two vaccinations.

The conditions at the home are satisfactory in every detail, which speaks much for the matron. The majority of the patients are advanced in years which means increased watchfulness and care on the part of those in charge to meet the conditions as they arise. One noted improvement which is to be commended is the new dairy room, recommended by the Dairy Inspector. It fills a much needed want. Attention was called by your Board to the disposal of garbage on the farm. This condition was investigated and righted, and those who use the farm for the disposal of garbage will in the future follow instructions from your Board through the Warden. I thank your Board for the help and assistance given me through the year.

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS J. MAGUIRE

Natick, Dec. 31, 1914

ANNUAL REPORT

of the

BOARD OF HEALTH

of the

TOWN OF NATICK

For the Year Ending December 31, 1914.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

THOMAS J. MAGUIRE, M. D.; Chairman

WILLIAM H. McCORDICK, Agent

THOMAS F. MORRIS, Clerk

BOARD OF HEALTH

The following report is herewith submitted by the Board of Health.

The Board organized March 5, with Dr. Thomas J. Maguire chairman, William F. McCordick agent, Thomas F. Morris clerk.

Dr. Thomas A. Doyle was elected Dairy Inspector and Inspector of Meat. William M. Todd and Charles K. Barker were appointed Plumbing Inspectors. Egbert A. Stricksma was appointed burial officer for dead animals. Mr. J. J. Burke of Sherborn was awarded contract for collecting garbage.

The new State law required the purchase of a new and complete set of books and a safe to keep the same therein.

For the first time since its organization the Board has an office for its own use, and equipment for the same. The Board meets every Thursday night at 8 p. m., room 25 Clark's Block.

The Board has a balance \$21.81, and no known outstanding bills for 1914, excluding reimbursements due us from the Town, amounting to \$120.65, which we have not received, and back bills of 1909-10-11-12-13 will be turned over to the Committee on Appropriations as none of the present board were in office when the bills were received.

The Board had to contend with a very large number of contagious diseases throughout the year, 345 cases being reported, and this department called heavily on our funds, Hospital and other cases calling for an expenditure of \$1,026.51.

For two weeks previous to June 5, notices were printed in the Natick Bulletin and Natick Tribune for bids for collection of

garbage. All bids were sealed and the contract was given to the lowest bidder, John J. Burke, for \$900.

Through advice from the Selectmen a burial officer for dead animals was appointed, with a salary of \$40.00.

We commend the efficiency of the milk and meat inspector.

The Board received numerous complaints throughout the year, and all complaints were duly investigated by heads of different departments. The Board desires to state that all complaints that are to be investigated must be in writing and duly signed.

Through advice of Town Counsel we have caused the abutters to care for the brooks running through their property and we recommend that in the future the care of the brooks be given to either the Sewer or Street Department.

There were forty-four notices sent out to connect with the sewer and there were thirty-six houses connected during the past year.

The Board has formed the Bureau of Vital Statistics and the return of Deaths and Births will in the future come under this heading, also the appropriations used in this work which is at present under Miscellaneous Fund.

The Board desires to thank Mr. P. A. Dolan for allowing us to use his store as a station at which the following articles may be found and furnished free to the Physicians, Vaccine points in sterile tubes, typhoid and malaria blood plates, Antitoxin, Sterile Tubes for Diphtheria Cultures, Sputum bottles, Stearns Dropper containing 1 percent silver nitrate solution, Typhoid Prophylactic and Bile culture for Typhoid.

The Board condemns the police station in its present condition. There is absolute lack of the required air space, dampness and foul odor being due to improper ventilation and unsanitary conditions existing there. We have had complaints in regard to these conditions and on investigation find the station inadequate and unfit for use and some action must be taken immediately by the Town to remedy these conditions.

Financial Report

| | Total Appropriations | \$3085.87 | | | |
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| | Appropriation | Expended | Bal. | Overdraw | |
| 1. Unpaid bills 1912-13 | \$466.40 (less 1-12) | \$466.40 | | \$38.87 | |
| 2. Burying Dead Animals | 45.83, | 42.67 | \$3.16 | | |
| 3. 2 Plumbing Inspectors | 275.00 | 300.00 | | 25.00 | |
| 4. Milk Inspector | 275.00 | 275.00 | | | |
| 5. Contagious Diseases | 916.67 | 1026.51 | | 109.84 | |
| 6. Garbage | 916.67 | 875.00 | 41.67 | | |
| 7. Miscellaneous | 91.67 | 103.19 | | 11.52 | |
| 8. Printing | 45.83 | 149.50 | | 103.67 | 83 |
| 9. Fumigating Supplies | 91.67 | 10.50 | 81.17 | | |
| | <u>\$3085.87</u> | <u>\$3248.77</u> | <u>\$126.00</u> | <u>\$288.90</u> | |
| | | | | 126.00 | |
| | | | | <u>\$162.90</u> | |
| Total Appropriations | \$3085.87 | | Overdraw | \$288.90 | |
| Total Expenditures | 3248.77 | | Balance | 126.00 | |
| Overdraw | \$162.90 | | <u>Overdraw</u> | <u>\$162.90</u> | |
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| Reimbursements | | | |
| Town of Wayland | \$179.31 | Re-imbursements | \$184.71 |
| Fumigating supp. | 5.40 | Overdraw | 162.90 |
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| | \$184.71 | Balance | \$21.81 |
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| | | Total Balance | \$21.81 |
| Cr. by Town Treasurer for Milk Licenses | | | 27.50 |
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All the above appropriation was for 1-12 less than the original amount asked for each item and \$466.40 was appropriated for unpaid bills of 1912 and 1913 and 1-12 was deducted from that amount which should not have been done thereby causing the overdraw of \$38.87 which we had to take from our Miscellaneous Fund.

The Plumbers were paid \$300 in full, through error in not subtracting 1-12 of salary which amounts to \$25.00, making overdraw of \$25.00 in their salaries.

With printing the milk rules and regulations and garbage notices and the bill of Hobbs & Warren for \$80.50 which should have been paid by Town, together with printing of contagious disease cards, post cards and stamped envelopes amounting to \$149.50, caused our overdraw of \$103.67 in printing.

Burial Officer Report

To Natick Board of Health,

Gentlemen:—

I hereby submit my report for animal burial officer for the year 1914.

There were thirty-seven animals buried by me, including twenty-three cats, and fourteen dogs, of this number nine were killed by automobiles and five by electric cars.

Respectfully submitted,

E. A. STRICKSMA.

Plumbers' Report

To the Board of Health of the Town of Natick,

Gentlemen:—The Plumbing Inspectors respectfully submit the following report:

There have been 158 inspections, and in most cases we have found the ordinance followed and any errors have been promptly remedied where necessary. —

The plumbing work in the town is being done in a very satisfactory manner, and we feel the adoption of the rules are a great benefit to the public.

We wish to thank the Board of Health for their hearty co-operation in the work.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM M. TODD

CHARLES K. BABKER

Inspectors of Plumbing

Dairy and Milk Inspectors' Report.

To the Board of Health,
Gentlemen:—

I hereby submit my report as Milk and Dairy Inspector for the year of 1914:

The number of licenses to sell milk issued during the year was fifty-six. Number of licenses to milk producers forty-nine, and number of licenses issued to non-producers, seven. Number of dairies supplying milk to Natick, eighty-five, located as follows:

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| Natick | 38 |
| Sherborn | 8 |
| South Framingham | 8 |
| Ashland | 7 |
| Holliston | 12 |
| Wayland | 7 |
| Dover | 4 |
| Sudbury | 1 |
| Total | 85 |

Most of the barns are old and not up to the standard, but the owners are willing to follow the suggestions of the Inspector as closely as possible under the conditions. There are a number of modern barns kept in first class condition. With few exceptions the cows were well taken care of and in good condition.

A dairy room is connected with most of the modern barns, but in other cases there are none. In the latter circumstance I always recommend a dairy room and in some cases they have complied.

On inspection three dairies in Dover and two in Natick were found below the standard, and permission to sell milk from these dairies in Natick was refused.

Two cases of contagious diseases, one of scarlet fever and one of typhoid were reported on farms where milk was produced. In the first case the farm was quarantined for four days until the patient was removed, the house fumigated, and the dairy utensils sterilized. In the second case, the milk was pastuerized for twenty-four days, morning and night, under my personal supervision. There was very little danger to the public in either case, but proper precaution was taken to safeguard the public.

An average of 635 quarts of milk are sold daily in Natick. A number of samples were taken during the year for analysis, and found only two below standard; one contained water and the other was skimmed milk.

A number of complaints were received as to condition of cattle and barns during the year. Inspections were made and where the complaint was justified conditions were changed. Considering the amount of milk sold in Natick, there were very few complaints.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS A. DOYLE.

Meat Inspector's Report

To the Board of Health,
Gentlemen:—

I hereby submit my report as Meat and Provision Inspector for the year of 1914.

All meat and fish markets and wagons were inspected several times each month during the year, and as a whole were found to be in good condition.

During the year I received a number of complaints of meat and fish bought from local dealers. Inspections were promptly made on all complaints, and in a few cases cause for complaint was found. Owing to the great number of out of town fish peddlers during the hot months many complaints were received against their goods. One hundred and thirty-five barrels of fish were inspected owned by local and outside peddlers, which were to be sold from wagons or from house to house. Fish, unless properly taken care of, will become unfit for food in a few hours, and for that reason I refused permission to all outside peddlers to sell fish in Natick. Very few complaints were made against the local fish peddlers and on inspection their fish was found fresh and properly cared for.

Owing to the rigid quarantine on account of the foot and mouth disease, very few cattle and hogs were slaughtered up to the present time.

All complaints, also names of places where articles unfit for food were found were reported each month to the Board of Health.

Owing to the great amount of perishable goods offered for sale in Natick the past year by outside parties, I would recom-

mend that some action be taken to prevent the sale of such goods by said parties, and that all perishable goods be passed by the local inspector before being offered for sale.

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS A. DOYLE

Vital Statistics

There were one hundred twenty-six deaths during the year, excluding stillborns, divided as follows: Males, sixty-five Females, sixty-one.

One hundred thirty-one permits issued for burial.

Three permits issued for removal of bodies from Natick to other cemeteries.

Number dying in Natick, buried in other towns, forty-four.

Number dying in other towns, buried in Natick, eleven.

DEATHS BY MONTHS.

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| January | 16 |
| February | 13 |
| March | 14 |
| April | 11 |
| May | 13 |
| June | 10 |
| July | 11 |
| August | 6 |
| September | 8 |
| October | 10 |
| November | 10 |
| December | 9 |

There were two hundred thirty-four births reported to the Town Clerk during the past year, 113 Males, 121 Females.

BIRTHS BY MONTHS.

| | |
|----------|----|
| January | 16 |
| February | 16 |
| March | 21 |

| | |
|-----------|----|
| April | 16 |
| May | 15 |
| June | 22 |
| July | 23 |
| August | 18 |
| September | 16 |
| October | 32 |
| November | 24 |
| December | 15 |

COMPLAINTS

There were fifty-five complaints received and investigated during the year, divided as follows:

| | |
|--------------------|----|
| Garbage | 16 |
| Milk | 3 |
| Unclean Premises | 17 |
| Unclean Brooks | 3 |
| Sewerage | 5 |
| Vaults | 5 |
| Contagious Disease | 1 |
| Decayed Meat | 1 |
| Refuse on Street | 1 |
| Unclean Barns | 2 |
| Town Dump | 1 |

CONTAGIOUS DISEASES

There were 345 cases reported to our Board during the year, divided as follows:

| | |
|--------------------------|-----|
| Scarlet fever | 28 |
| Measles | 272 |
| Typhoid | 7 |
| Tuberculosis (all forms) | 12 |
| Diphtheria | 4 |
| Mumps | 3 |
| Chicken Pox | 14 |
| Malaria | 2 |

The State Department of Health on December 15, 1914, added fourteen diseases to the list of diseases, declared reportable, as dangerous to Public health and must be reported to our Board.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS J. MAGUIRE, M.D., Chairman,
WILLIAM H. McCORDICK, Agent,
THOMAS F. MORRIS, Clerk.

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
SCHOOL COMMITTEE

OF THE
TOWN OF NATICK

FOR THE
ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING DECEMBER 31,

1914

School Committee for 1914-1915

Term Expires, March 1915.

FLORA B. RICE

WILLIAM F. HALL

Term expires, March 1916.

L. L. SELLEW

ALBERT A. FELCH

Term expires, March 1917.

FRANK S. CURRIER

N. AGNES WHITE

Organization March 1914-1915

ALBERT A. FELCH, Chairman

EDGAR L. WILLARD, Secretary

and Superintendent of Schools

HELEN M. JORDAN, Clerk

Truant Officer

JAMES FITZPATRICK

SCHOOL COMMITTEE'S REPORT

At a meeting of the Natick School Committee held this evening the report of the Superintendent was received and adopted as the report of the Committee.

ALBERT A. FELCH,
Chairman.

Natick, Mass., Jan. 18, 1915

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

| | Appropriated | Expended |
|--------------------------|---------------|-------------|
| Teachers' Salaries | \$38,000.00 | \$38,322.87 |
| Janitors' Salaries | 4,500.00 | 4,486.90 |
| Fuel | 4,000.00 | 4,173.81 |
| Improvements and Repairs | 2,500.00 | 2,147.50 |
| Text Books and Supplies | 4,100.00 | 4,416.51 |
| Evening School | 500.00 | 430.50 |
| Industrial School | 300.00 | 473.51 |
| Miscellaneous | 3,000.00 | 3,731.25 |
| School Physicians | 250.00 | 250.00 |
| Income (All sources) | 1,287.09 | |
| Balance | | 4.24 |
| | * \$58,437.09 | \$58,437.09 |

* For a detailed statement of the expenditures the reader is referred to the last pages of the report.

Report of the Superintendent of Schools.

The School Committee, Town of Natick.

GENTLEMEN:—

It gives me pleasure to submit at this time the annual report, it being the twentieth in the series of reports from the Superintendent of Schools in this town.

From the nature of the circumstances, it must necessarily be brief. In it I shall only attempt to touch upon conditions of the schools as they have impressed me. For a more detailed statement concerning the various phases of the work, I refer the reader to the excellent reports submitted by the heads of the different departments. I trust that these reports will be retained as a part of the annual report, from the fact that my own must be so brief.

BUILDINGS

I wish to consider first the material equipment of the school system of the town. In the High school we have an almost ideal building. Everything is there that heart could wish, in equipment and convenience for carrying on good work. The Bacon, Felchville, Oak Grove, Harvard and West Natick schools are attractive, well appointed and pleasant buildings with good, sanitary equipment throughout. Other buildings, like the Wilson, Eliot, Nathan Rice and North Natick leave much to be desired, both in regard to the buildings themselves and the equipment therein. These are the older buildings of the town, and have seen their best days, particularly is this true of the Wilson school. I hesitate at this time to say anything relating

to a new building to take the place of this one, so soon after the completion of the High school, but sooner or later the town must face this need. Three story school buildings of the type of construction of this building have long since been condemned. A large, centrally located building, that would relieve the congestion at the Harvard, Oak Grove, Nathan Rice, as well as accommodate the Wilson district is what is needed.

The Eliot and Nathan Rice schools belong to a later type of building but yet are not well lighted nor well ventilated. The North Natick school is the only remaining one of a type known as the "little red schoolhouse." It fills the need fairly well in that locality.

All of the buildings outside of the High school show the need of paint and minor repairs, and I would advise the apportionment of enough money this year to thoroughly put two or three of these buildings in first class condition, another year taking two or three more so that each five or six years the buildings may all receive thorough attention.

The building at Cochituate street, now used for Manual Training is fairly well adapted for that sort of work. It is a misfortune, however, to be obliged to use a building so far from the center, for such purposes. Pupils from all parts of the town are obliged to go to this school. A more centrally located building would serve the purpose better.

At present writing I have not yet read the report of the Supervisor of manual training and do not know what he has recommended, but there is need in this department of having one or two machines installed which will enable the instructor to work up his own stock from the rough. It has always been found expensive for manual training departments to be obliged to get mill work done outside of the plant. For this reason I would recommend that either a combination saw, planer, etc., be bought or that a circular saw, band saw and planer be purchased and installed in the second room of the Cochituate Street build-

ing. I would also recommend the purchase of a small printing plant for the manual training work in the High school.

Better than this but probably more expensive would be the use of the old High school building as an industrial center, in which all the manual training, all the industrial, all the evening school work might be carried on.

The disposition of these two buildings, namely the one at Cochituate street and the old high school seems to me is one of the problems which must be solved. I offer the suggestion for your consideration.

The conditions in the Wellesley Park district demand attention. At the present time there are in the Harvard school, eighteen pupils, divided as follows:--Three boys and two girls in the first grade; three boys and two girls in the second grade; three boys in the third grade; three boys and two girls in the sixth grade; in all eighteen. There are three children from this district in the Bacon school making in all twenty-one.

The people at Wellesley Park feel that some consideration should be given them other than that accorded them at the present time. The removal of those pupils from the Harvard street school would allow some relief in both the Bacon and the Wilson district. There is no doubt that sooner or later school accommodations will have to be provided in the Wellesley Park district. There will come a time when because of the large number of children, parents will object, particularly those who have children in the first grade, to having them wait on stormy mornings for cars and because of the dangers incident to transportation on trolley lines.

TEACHERS

The regulations of the committee regarding selection of teachers are for the most part wise and beneficial. The unwritten law that at least two years of service elsewhere is required before employment in our own schools tends to raise the standard of the work. I have had no cause to complain of the general attitude of the teachers and the spirit in which they have

followed my suggestions. With a few exceptions the spirit of willingness on their part to work and work hard has been a source of much pleasure to me, and I have found them uniformly ready to adopt suggestions which involved a change in their methods.

The corps of teachers in the High school, I regard as exceptionally well fitted to do the work expected of any first class college fitting school and there is no reason now why the standard attainment of our graduates should not compare favorably with other high schools. In the High school we have teachers of long experience, who understand what their work requires and do it. These teachers we do well to retain. It is to be regretted that the present salary maximum does not enable us to retain teachers of exceptional ability, because other cities are able to pay more. I would recommend that you consider the advisability of raising the maximum from eight hundred to nine hundred dollars, in the High school.

The teaching force in the elementary schools is made up of normal school graduates who have had experience before coming to Natick, a fact which should warrant their success. There is, however, a suspicion that teachers have not always been elected because of their peculiar fitness for the work but rather because there were friends on the Board who were able to place them on our teaching force.

In the elementary schools there are today twenty-seven teachers out of a possible thirty-nine, who are natives of this town. There seems to be a strong sentiment on the part of the Board that local girls should have the preference for grade work. Is it wise that this process should continue? Is not the proportion of home talent already too large?

The first public school was organized that pupils might receive instruction, not that certain individuals might be furnished with employment. From that time to this the schools have existed that the children within their jurisdiction might receive proper instruction, not that a certain group of teachers

should receive perpetual employment.

I have been requested by the Board since September to visit five teachers. In each case these teachers were natives of this town.

CONDITIONS FAVORABLE AND OTHERWISE

I find within the schools, as a whole, a spirit of industry seldom surpassed. This remark applies more particularly to the elementary schools than to the High school. The lack of industry there perhaps is due not to the rank and file of the pupils but to a small number who have steadfastly resisted all efforts to bring them to profitable school work. Even here, however, conditions are steadily improving.

The writing in the schools has been developed to a degree of skill very seldom attained in the public schools of any town. The Palmer method has been responsible, I believe, for this condition, together with the painstaking work of the teachers.

The course of study has been so unified and assigned to the different grades that each teacher is able to know very nearly what is expected of her in each one of the main topics of study.

Grade meetings have been held once a month since the opening of schools, beginning with October. One meeting has been held with the teachers of the High school and one meeting with all the teachers.

Activities carried on within the High school building are a great benefit to the citizens of the town. The evening schools, industrial schools, and various organizations which use this building as a centre of activities have kept it open practically all the time.

The attendance at the evening schools has been something phenomenal for such schools, being about ninety per cent of the total number enrolled. I would suggest that provision be made for a longer term of the evening elementary schools than has been possible this year. The law requires that such schools be continued for at least thirty nights. We shall have extende

that number to forty-two nights by the end of this month, when the school is scheduled to close.

The outside interest of the pupils has probably had much to do with lessening the effectiveness of the work in the school.

We are told there is practically no truancy in the town. Very little has been done to prove or disprove this statement. Not much truancy has been reported to be sure, but it is my opinion that a great deal of "absenteeism" exists. I would recommend that an attendance officer preferably a woman, be appointed by this Board, to investigate the conditions existing in the town.

Another of the conditions which seem to affect our schools injuriously is the mania for moving pictures. Before giving some results of a "questionnaire" which has recently been conducted by the English department in the High school, I wish to quote a portion of Section 184, Chapter 514, of the Acts of 1911, concerning attendance of children to places of amusement. The section is as follows:—

"Whoever, himself or by his servant, admits a child under the age of fourteen years to any licensed show or place of amusement unless such child is accompanied by a person above the age of twenty-one years, shall, on complaint of a parent or guardian of the child or of any police officer or of a truant officer of the city or town in which the child is so admitted, be punished by a fine of not more than one hundred dollars."

In spite of the law above quoted, the following conditions exist in our own schools; the effect of which may be readily imagined by those who will think seriously of it.

Question 1 DO YOU GO TO THE MOVING PICTURES?

| Grade | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | Fresh. | Soph. | Jun. | Sen. | Total |
|-------------|-----|------|------|------|------|--------|-------|------|------|-------|
| Average age | 9 | 10.6 | 12.6 | 13.4 | 13.6 | 14.6 | 15 | 16.6 | 17.1 | |
| Yes | 113 | 168 | 143 | 120 | 116 | 122 | 81 | 47 | 69 | 979 |
| No | 8 | 3 | 4 | 6 | 4 | 2 | 8 | 1 | 0 | 36 |
| Total | 121 | 171 | 147 | 126 | 120 | 124 | 89 | 48 | 69 | 1015 |

Question 2 HOW OFTEN?

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|----------------|----|-----|-----|----|----|----|----|----|----|-----|
| Weekly | 58 | 149 | 85 | 28 | 29 | 19 | 23 | 18 | 23 | 427 |
| 2 times a week | 8 | 19 | 6 | 47 | 16 | 23 | 11 | 15 | .. | 145 |
| 3 " " " | 6 | .. | .. | 7 | 5 | 10 | 9 | .. | .. | 37 |
| 4 " " " | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 1 | 1 | .. | 8 | 12 |
| Seldom | 12 | .. | 52 | 9 | .. | 12 | 36 | 14 | 38 | 173 |
| Total | 84 | 168 | 143 | 86 | 52 | 65 | 80 | 47 | 69 | 794 |

Question 3 DO YOU GO AFTERNOONS?

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|----|----|----|----|-----|
| Yes | 93 | 149 | 117 | 109 | 85 | 56 | 49 | 34 | 45 | 737 |
| No | 20 | 19 | 26 | 17 | 45 | 20 | .. | 14 | 17 | 178 |
| Total | 113 | 168 | 143 | 126 | 130 | 76 | 49 | 48 | 62 | 915 |

Question 4 DO YOU GO WITH YOUR FATHER OR MOTHER?

(This question applies to afternoons)

| Grade | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | Fresh. | Soph. | Jun. | Sen. | Total |
|-------|-----|-----|----|-----|-----|--------|-------|------|------|-------|
| Yes | 33 | 75 | 27 | 36 | 23 | 17 | 6 | 4 | 60 | 281 |
| No | 80 | 57 | 26 | 90 | 97 | 97 | .. | 44 | 6 | 497 |
| Total | 113 | 132 | 53 | 126 | 120 | 114 | 6 | 48 | 66 | 778 |

Question 5 DO YOU GO EVENINGS?

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|-------|----|----|-----|----|----|----|----|----|----|-----|
| Yes | 64 | 64 | 101 | 71 | 72 | 54 | 45 | .. | 56 | 527 |
| No | .. | .. | 45 | .. | .. | 19 | .. | .. | 13 | 77 |
| Total | 64 | 64 | 146 | 71 | 72 | 73 | 45 | .. | 69 | 604 |

Question 6 DO YOU GO EVENINGS

With your father or mother?

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|-------|----|----|----|----|----|-----|----|----|----|-----|
| Yes | 32 | 48 | 62 | 39 | 25 | 48 | 30 | .. | 22 | 306 |
| No | 32 | 16 | 20 | 32 | 47 | 57 | 16 | .. | 47 | 267 |
| Total | 64 | 64 | 82 | 71 | 72 | 105 | 46 | .. | 69 | 573 |

The foregoing figures show that out of a total one thousand and fifteen, nine hundred seventy-nine attend the moving pictures.

Of these, one hundred seventy-three attend occasionally; four hundred twenty-seven twice a week; thirty-seven three times a week; twelve four times a week while two admitted that they attended constantly.

Seven hundred thirty-seven attended in the afternoon while five hundred twenty-seven attended in the evening; four hundred ninety-seven in the afternoon and two hundred sixty-seven in the evening, a total of seven hundred sixty-four, most of whom are under fourteen years of age—to whom, therefore the statute above quoted applies,—admit attending the moving pictures “without parent or guardian.” This is the point.

In closing, I wish to call attention once more to the expense account on later pages of this report. In that account I have endeavored to show where every dollar expended in this department has gone.

I would also call attention to the attendance records and particularly to the statement regarding the School Savings Bank. This last shows a deposit of \$1,502.72 in the last eleven months and a total since the bank was organized of \$30,345.37. Statute law requires the public schools to inculcate lessons of thrift. I know of no better way than what the figures in that statement show us.

Respectfully submitted,

EDGAR L. WILLARD.

Superintendent of Schools.

January 18, 1915.

Natick Evening Industrial School

The following report was rendered to the State Board of Education, December 1st, 1914.

| | |
|-----------------------|----------|
| Janitor's Service | \$56.00 |
| Fuel and Light | 35.04 |
| Director | 200.00 |
| Teachers | 307.45 |
| Supplies | 139.62 |
| <hr/> | |
| Total | \$738.11 |
| Due from Commonwealth | 369.06 |

| | Cooking | Dress. | Mill. | Total |
|-------------------------------|---------|---------|-------|-------|
| Enrollment | 66 | 22 | 15 | 103 |
| Average Membership | 66 | 19 | 11 | 96 |
| Average attendance | 54 | 15 | 9 | 78 |
| Percent of attendance | 82 | 80 | 82 | |
| Length of course (In weeks) | 20 | 20 | 20 | |
| Length of year (In weeks) | 20 | 20 | 20 | |
| Length of school year (Hours) | 2 | 2 | 2 | |
| Length of school day (Hours) | 2 | 2 | 2 | |
| Average cost per pupil | | \$ 7.68 | | |

| | | |
|-------------------|---------------|--------|
| Value of products | (Cooking) | 153.00 |
| “ “ “ | (Dressmaking) | 271.00 |
| “ “ “ | (Millinery) | 324.50 |
| | | <hr/> |

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|----------------------|----------|
| Total estimate value | \$748.50 |
|----------------------|----------|

Copy of the following letter was received on January 14th:

January 11, 1915.

Mr. R. O. Small,

Deputy Commissioner, State Board of Education,
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir:—

I have to inform you that in accordance with your instructions I have inspected the accounts of the Natick Evening Industrial School for the fiscal year ending November 30, 1914.

I have been given full opportunity to inspect the books and bills. To the best of my judgment the charges have been distributed between maintenance, construction and equipment in accordance with the intent of the statute and of the interpretations and rulings that have been made by this office.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) CHESTER L. PEPPER,

Agent

DEDICATION EXERCISES

OF

Natick High School

Wednesday Evening, March 4, 1914.

Natick, Massachusetts.

Program

Overture Schall

High School Orchestra

March Rollinson

Orchestra

Chorus Selected

Girls' Chorus

Welcome and Presentation George C. Fairbanks

Responses—Edward P. Brennan, Chairman Selectmen

Rev. A. A. Felch, Chairman School Committee

Vocal Solo—a "Lass with the Delicate Air" Dr. Arne

b "Eyes of Irish Blue" Lyman

Miss Blanche Metcalf, '08

Address Louis Arthur Coolidge

Violin Solo—Mazurka E. Mlinarski

Carl Smith, '14

Original Ode Rachel M. Smith

Presentation of Flag from Relief Corps Commander A. B. Pierce

Star Spangled Banner—Solo and Chorus

Miss Metcalf and Audience

DEDICATION ODE

Written by Frederick O. Baston at Dedication of High School

Building in 1878

Read by Everett F. Strong, '14

ODE TO THE NATICK HIGH SCHOOL

With quickening step and joyful heart
A band intent to do our part,
We hail thee, stately building fair,
Our noble new High School.
Long may you stand unmoved and still,
The hope and yearning to fulfill
Of all who come with purpose true,
A richer life to gain.

As passing seasons come and go
Your ranks shall great achievement show,
As pupil, teacher, side by side,
In deeds of book and field,
Gain knowledge, honor, friendships bright
To lead them through life's journey right.
Thus will this building truly fill
Its purpose noble, high.
Rachel M. Smith Natick High School

BUILDING COMMITTEE

George C. Fairbanks, Chairman

William O. Cutler, Secretary

Frederick O. Baston

Michael F. Kennedy

Edward P. Brennan

Edward L. McManus

Aloysius J. Doon

Alphonso B. Pierce

Milton J. Jones

Theodore F. Russell

ARCHITECT

Charles M. Baker

BUILDER

James Miles & Son Company

HEATING ENGINEERS

Richard D. Kimball Co.

HEATING CONTRACTOR

C. H. Sanborn & Company

INSPECTOR

Richard A. Clink

Report of the High School Principal

Mr. E. L. Willard,
Supt. of Schools

I hereby submit my report of the High School:—

The total enrollment for the year beginning Sept. 1914, is 383. The average daily attendance has been 357.8 and the percentage of attendance 95.8 percent. There have been 570 cases of tardiness. Thus far eleven have left school for following reasons; illness, to go to work, left town.

This year brought many changes in our teaching force. Besides a new superintendent and principal, three new teachers were added to our corps. Two of our old teachers left to accept more lucrative positions. The other to continue further study.

In spite of the fact that so many of us were new to the work I feel that the school has made some progress. A reclassification of the whole school has been accomplished. A definite number of points necessary for admittance to each of the four classes has been agreed upon and each student has been informed of his or her exact standing. The school spirit is excellent and I believe there is a growing realization of the need of greater application and more diligent work on the part of the student body.

Although I have only had a short four months to study conditions in the school I am firmly convinced that there are at least three causes to which may be attributed much of the poor work and failures in High School.

First:—The boys and girls do not come to the High School with any definite plan or purpose. They do not realize that they must fit themselves in four years, or if they are going to college

in eight years, for their life's work. And they do not therefore take the courses most beneficial to them.

I call for the earnest attention of parents and of the teachers in the grades to this matter and ask that they use every effort to help the young folks to start aright in High School.

Second:—The exceedingly large number of cases of tardiness and irregular attendance.

I have taken occasion to read the school reports for ten years back and in every one an appeal has been made to the parents to co-operate with the teachers in an attempt to correct these faults. The lessons of punctuality and regularity are vital ones. The boy or girl who does not learn them while in school endangers his or her future success.

We are making every effort to correct these faults but so long as parents persist in writing excuses for such trivial reasons as, "important errand," "overslept," "late breakfast," "lost the car," "had to rebuild the furnace fire," and the like, our efforts to stop tardiness will be of little avail. I earnestly request parents to impress upon their children the fact that it is just as necessary that they be in school on time and every day as it will be later that they be at the office or in the factory on time and every day, and that excuses be given only when absolutely necessary.

Third:—Too little time given to home study.

Under the one session plan with scholars in school only five hours, it is imperative that regular, systematic, studying be done at home. To maintain a good standing, pupils should study outside of school from two to four hours daily, depending on age, health and ability. It is earnestly requested that the parents insist upon at least the minimum of two hours.

I notice from the reading of former reports that for years the fact that no adequate facilities for physical culture was provided, has been deplored. We now have an excellent gymnasium with a fair equipment, but no provision has been made for instruction. If we are to increase the efficiency and raise the

standard of our school we can do nothing that will help more than to provide for regular systematic physical training. Sound healthy bodies insure increased mental alertness. I recommend the appointment of a physical instructor who will have charge in the fall and spring of all outdoor sports and in the winter of regular indoor compulsory gymnasium class work.

It is my firm belief that while we should offer courses which will insure complete preparation, in four years, for any college we should not fail to make adequate provision for the broadest, possible education of the 90 percent who do not go to college. I recommend the establishment of full four year courses in manual and domestic arts and the election of a drawing teacher who will give her whole time to High School work. We will then be able to separate the mechanical from the free-hand drawing. Additional equipment should be purchased for the boys arts department. At present we have only the regular equipment in general use for sloyd work in the grades. Our space in the High School is limited, but a complete printing outfit could be installed that would provide work for the boys and would pay for itself over and over again.

I take occasion to thank all of my associate teachers for their hearty support at all times and for their untiring efforts to make Natick High School a better school.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD L. MONTGOMERY.

Program of Graduation

March—"Battleship Connecticut."

High School Orchestra

"Gloria"—from Mozart's "Twelfth Mass."

High School Chorus.

Salutatory

Marion Wright

"O That we Two were Maying"

Smith

Girl's Chorus

"Gringoire"

Arthur Shirley

Cast—

Payson Travis

Everett Strong

Helen Burns

William McMahan

Arnold Amoroso

Margaret Wiggin

Violin Solo—"Scene de Ballet"

Beberiot

Carl Smith

"La Lettre Chargee"

Labiche

Cast:—

Alice Cassidy

Helen Sheehan

Anthony Adams

Arthur Gilligan

"Two Grenadiers"

High School Chorus

Valedictory

Arthur C. Gilligan

Presentation of Diplomas

Rev. Albert A. Felch, School Committee

Postlude

High School Orchestra

LIST OF GRADUATES—CLASS OF 1914

| | |
|----------------------------|---------------------------|
| Antoine Frasher Adams | Edwin Pratt Mahard |
| Arnold Dante Amoroso | Fannie Marinofsky |
| Vistor Louis Amoroso | Helen Esther McCordick |
| Sydney Marland Atkinson | Anna Katherine McGlone |
| Helen Louise Babcock | Joseph Carleton McGlone |
| John Edward Brennan | Francis James McGrath |
| Laura Rhoda Brown | William Francis McMahon |
| Josephine Cornelia Buckley | Agnes Madeline Montiet |
| Mary Elizabeth Burke | Mary Elizabeth Moran |
| *Helen Elizabeth Burns | Albertine Mead Morrill |
| Albert William Carlson | Claire Morris |
| Josephine Frances Casey | *Daniel Jerimah Moynihan |
| Alice Sarah Cassidy | Frederick Loysius Mullen |
| Henry Gregory Clancy | Francis Jerome Murphy |
| John Joseph Cochran | Helen Gertrude Murphy |
| Doris Greenwood Currier | Katherine Louise Nelson |
| Helen Katherine Delaney | Mildred Cleaves Patterson |
| Arthur Theobald Denney | Dyke Lewis Quackenbush |
| Priscilla Anne Derby | Catherine Theresa Quinn |
| Ethel Marion Dooling | Edith Louise Shaw |
| Lorna Doon | Helen Christine Sheehan |
| Leo Patrick Drummey | Carl Ellsworth Smith |
| Marion Louise Esty | *Rachel May Smith |
| Arthur Bernard Fair | Mary Frances Stearns |
| Esther Marie Fair | Everett Fisk Strong |
| Emma Louisa Gilbert | Anthony Joseph Sweeney |
| *Arthur Chew Gilligan | Walter Wellington Thomas |
| *Evelyn Ernestine Hopf | Hazel Marie Toner |
| Alice Louise Howard | Edith Follansbee Travis |
| John Patrick Hughes | Edward Payson Travis |
| Marie Veronica Keaney | Ambrose Dennis Whelen |
| Helen Monica Keating | *Margaret Wiggin |
| Mildred Irene Loker | *Marion Wright, |

*Honors

Manual Training

To Mr. Edgar L. Willard,
Superintendent

I hereby respectfully submit the report of the Manual Training Department.

At the beginning of the school year the equipment of the sixth and the seventh grades was not satisfactory, some of the schools being without the necessary drawing outfits and others being partly supplied. A determined effort is being made by this department to supply a drawing board, T square and angles for each boy in these grades. We have in process of making about one hundred drawing boards, T squares and angles. About fifty of these outfits are made and ready to take to the different schools. And all the work on these articles has been done by the boys of the eighth and ninth grades and a few of the boys from the High School.

Special attention is given to the making of mechanical toys, something which will "work." In making these toys each pupil is required first to draw the object on paper, and then to make it in wood.

So far this plan has met with success, the pupils being very much interested and eager to make these toys.

The plan for the eighth and ninth grades work this year has been to let the pupil choose what he wants to make (if it is not too difficult) and then, after making a shop sketch or drawing, to make the object. This plan is working very satisfactorily. The boys are much more interested in making something that they want to make than in making something that they are required to make.

Chair-caning has been introduced in these grades and many

of the boys are improving the opportunity to bring chairs from home to re-cane them.

Boys in these grades who do not care to make things for themselves are given work for the school.

The boys of the High School have been allowed to choose their work in this department, and it includes drawing boards, sleeve-boards, book-racks, book-shelves, book-cases, tables, desks, screens for dining or sleeping rooms, taborets, tool-chests, lathework, etc.

Boys (that do not care to make things for themselves) are making a large cabinet for the Domestic Science Department, also a large music cabinet for the High School.

Believing that a higher standard, more efficiency, and a better understanding of the work can be obtained by the pupil who understands mechanical drawing, I would earnestly recommend that all pupils who take manual training, be required to take mechanical drawing.

As a means of keeping some of the boys in the school for a longer time, giving them a better and larger equipment to meet the problems of the future, and also a wider range of activities from which to draw, I would recommend that a printing plant be established in this department. This outfit can be purchased for a small amount of money, and from personal experience in a school where printing is taught, I believe it would be a success both educationally and financially.

If we could take up book-binding (an outfit which could be purchased at one quarter the price of the printing plant) we would be able to re-bind the books for the school. This would not only teach the pupils something of practical value but would save many dollars for the town.

I wish to thank the Superintendent and the teachers for their most cordial and hearty co-operation.

Respectfully yours,

MILAN G. TWICHELL.

January 1915.

Drawing

I take pleasure in stating that the subject of art instruction continues to receive enthusiastic interest in the grades, also increasing interest in the High School, as evidenced by the fact that six years ago today thirty pupils elected drawing, today one hundred seventy-four.

While this is most encouraging, it is overwhelming when we consider what new problems must be met. When we moved from the old High School building, where we had no accommodation, we continued the same regime of allowing any pupil from all four classes to take drawing whenever time and inclination permitted. Consequently seniors, juniors, sophomores and freshmen, both mechanical and free-hand, are working together during the twelve periods per week. Manifestly this is too great a task for one instructor. This statement with a glance at facts below will show the impossibility of accomplishing results under present conditions.

Two periods necessary for one point.

| | | |
|------------|----------|---------|
| Freshman | 30 girls | 24 boys |
| Sophomores | 29 girls | 27 boys |
| Juniors | 23 girls | 9 boys |
| Seniors | 20 girls | 11 boys |

4 seniors taking freshman drawing.

5 juniors taking freshman drawing.

19 sophomores taking freshman drawing,

3 seniors taking sophomore drawing

3 juniors taking sophomore drawing.

7 pupils taking both free-hand and mechanical.

15 pupils taking more than two periods,

We are also in serious need of material for the free-hand classes. There are a few subjects in the curriculum which can be taught from examples, but further copying is detrimental. This we are forced to do by the entire absence of casts models for still life subjects.

For the past two years we have had an afternoon sketch class which meets every two weeks. Here the members pose in costume, which gives an unusual opportunity for the serious-minded.

ETHEL RATSEY,

Supervisor of Drawing

Domestic Science

The Domestic Science Department moved into its new laboratory kitchen in the High School building shortly after the spring vacation.

For ten years Domestic Science had been taught in the old Cochituate School building, where it was started with a very meagre equipment. Every year a little was added and some changes made in equipment, painting, lighting, plumbing, etc. It was a great pleasure to both pupils and instructors to continue their work in a newly equipped room, although some things were omitted from lack of funds. Through the kindness of several friends and by the extra work of the pupils, other equipment has been added, so that, at present, the department ranks very high, in comparison with similar departments in the towns of Massachusetts.

The Woman's Club voted one hundred dollars toward furnishings for the room, seventy-five dollars of which were expended for a much needed china closet with drawers for silver and linen. Another closet for printed rules and books is now in the process of construction, the materials being paid for out of the Club's donation, and the work being done by the Manual Training Department. We are under obligations to this same department for an enamelled shelf and the putting up of same,

The evening classes and friends gave a double set of china dishes, glass, linen and much needed silver ware. The pupils made cake for order work for two months and earned enough to buy nickle teaspoons, tablespoons and forks for the individual desks.

A new desk and three chairs were added to the room by the

School Committtee. These furnishings with the regular equipment placed by the Building Committee ranks our kitchen laboratory among the best.

It is hoped that a course in Home Economics can be planned for the High school in the near future, thus enabling more of the girls to take the subject.

The parents and residents of Natick deserve thanks for the interest and co-operation which they have always given to this department. It has proved a great incentive to those doing the work

Respectfully submitted,

SUSIE TRAIN SPROUT,

Supervisor of Domestic Science

February 12, 1915

EVENING SCHOOL REPORT

1914-1915

The Evening school opened October 14, with one hundred and twenty pupils. This number grew to one hundred and thirty-five where it stayed until about November 1, when it dropped to one hundred and thirty, which has been the enrollment since.

The distribution of pupils is as follows:—

| | |
|------------------------------------|-----|
| The beginning class for foreigners | 54 |
| Advanced foreign class | 39 |
| Grammar grades 5-9 | 18 |
| Commercial classes | 19 |
| Total | 130 |

The Commercial department has done excellent work in book-keeping, typewriting and stenography. The most of these pupils are graduates of the Natick High school, or have been students in some of its courses, and they have made the progress to be expected of pupils of their preparedness.

The interest shown by all has amounted almost to enthusiasm. This can be accounted for in at least three ways; the high class of foreigners and other pupils in school, the extraordinary liking the teachers have for their work, and the magnificent building which the Committee have given for the work.

The success of this year's work makes one feel the following recommendations will be thoughtfully received by you and the School Committee.

A gradual lengthening of the term until it will cover the greater part of the school year.

An increase in the teaching force so the pupils may be more carefully graded.

The establishing of more courses so the great number who have expressed their wish to attend the school may be accommodated.

Summary.

| | |
|--------------------------------|------|
| Total enrollment | 135 |
| Average enrollment | 130 |
| Average per cent of attendance | 89.8 |
| Number of classes | 9 |
| Number of teachers | 7 |

ROY A. KANE,

Principal

Sewing

The course in Domestic Art will be followed along general lines as outlined in the last report.

Elementary sewing is begun in the sixth grade; this includes drills and a working knowledge on small practical articles of all the simple stitches.

In the seventh grade a review of the stitches is given in the first problem, a cooking uniform, which is to be followed by the making and repairing of simple underwear, darning, and some developments of the simple stitches into more elaborate stitches.

The aim in the High School department where sewing is optional, is to teach proper and hygienic dress, choice of suitable material, harmony of color and relative expense. Simple drafting and fitting of patterns drafted, and use and development of commercial patterns is taught, to show correct lines.

The care and use of sewing machines, the making and marking of household linens and simple embroidery is also given some attention.

Respectfully submitted,

MINNIE J. SNYDER

Cooking

EVENING INDUSTRIAL CLASSES

Work in this department was begun October 19, 1914, in the modern, attractive and splendidly equipped new kitchen, situated on the third floor of the new High School building.

The courses are short unit courses, six weeks in length, for the most part, with two lessons weekly for each class. The course may include some of the following groups.

- Simple family meals
- Luncheons
- Suppers
- Breakfasts
- Cake making
- Bread making
- Meats and Vegetables
- Salads
- Left-overs

The aim is to teach those people who have had little or no opportunity to learn the fundamental principles, or anyone wishing a more complete knowledge of the preparation of simple, wholesome, nourishing and inexpensive meals, by actual, practical experience.

The interest of the pupils is shown by the following report:

| | |
|-------------------------|------|
| Total enrollment | 30 |
| Total number of classes | 2 |
| Average attendance | 26.9 |
| Per cent of attendance | 89.6 |

Respectfully submitted,

MINNIE J. SNYDER

Dressmaking Class

The Evening classes in dressmaking opened October 19, 1914, with forty-five members and formed of fifteen ladies each and each class attends twice a week; Monday and Friday afternoons from 2 to 4 p. m.; Monday and Wednesday evenings from 7.30 to 9.30 p. m., and Tuesday and Thursday evenings from 7.30 to 9.30 p. m.

The attendance at the classes has been excellent and the members show their appreciation of all that the town is giving them through this work, not only by their attendance but by their interest and marked improvement in their work. Ninety waists were made by the pupils during the waist course of 12 lessons.

In October a new lighting system was installed in the Sewing Room and a new sewing machine added which we greatly appreciated and added much to the one great thing we are all striving for—efficiency in our work.

Course I. Began October 19, 1914

Term of 12 lessons.

- Class 1. Fancy waists
- “ 2. Simple waists
- “ 3. Plain and fancy waists

Course II. Began December 7, 1914

Term of 12 lessons

- “ 1. Circular and plaited skirts
- “ 2. Plain and circular skirts
- “ 3. Circular and plaited skirts

Course III. Begins January 27, 1915

Term of 12 lessons

- Class** 1. One piece summer dresses
 " 2. One piece house dresses
 " 3. Summer dresses

Course IV. Begins March 17, 1915

Term of 12 lessons

- " 1. Plain and fancy undergarments
 " 2. One piece summer dresses
 " 3. House dresses

LOUISE CUMMINGS,

Instructor

January 12, 1914

Millinery

The evening class in Millinery opened October the twenty-second.

Instruction is given Tuesday and Thursday evenings.

The course includes making, trimming, ornaments, ribbon flowers, wire frames, blocking hats in buckram, sewing straw, copying hats, etc.

Respectfully submitted,

MYRTLE L. MARKHAM

Instructor

Report of School Physicians

Mr. Willard,
 Superintendent of Schools,
 Natick, Mass.

Dear Sir:—

In submitting my annual report for the past year, I beg to state that the routine work has been conducted in the usual manner.

With the exception of varicella in the Nathan Rice school and scarlet fever in the High School we have been moderately free from communicable disease.

The unusual number of cases of varicella in the Nathan Rice School was due in part to the mild type of the disease. In some cases no physician was called while in others so little attention was paid to it by the parents that it was not uncommon to find well marked cases in the school. And in all this work the teachers did efficient work in co-operating.

As soon as the first case of scarlet fever was reported from the High School, this school was visited daily and all pupils examined who had been absent for any reason as well as certain ones brought to my attention by the teachers.

Nearly five hundred pupils have been sent to my office, questioned and examined before granting certificates after absence from classes.

Several were excluded for Tinea Trichophytina and Impetigo contagiosa, both of which skin diseases spread easily by direct contact.

The condition of the buildings, closets and urinals showed improvement over last year.

Respectfully submitted

W. W. WALCOTT

Mr. Edgar L. Willard,
 Superintendent of Schools,
 Dear Sir:—

I hereby submit my report as school physician for the year 1914:

Number of schools under my supervision, five.

Number of pupils in the schools 912, divided as follows:

| | |
|----------------|-----|
| Wilson | 518 |
| Harvard Street | 84 |
| Felchville | 146 |
| Bacon | 147 |
| North Natick | 17 |

I have examined every pupil in the schools assigned me without interfering with the class work, and following the card system adopted by the town, it results in nearly a complete physical examination, a card being filled out for each pupil. There were eighty-seven cases of measles and eight cases of scarlet fever amongst the pupils of these schools and the Harvard Street school was closed during the week of February 15th on account of the prevalence of the measles, bringing the vacation one week earlier in that school. Grade VIII in the Wilson Building was closed for one week on account of three cases of scarlet fever in that room and necessitating the fumigation of the entire building, after each case. There were fifty notices sent home as the result of one or both tonsils being hypertrophied and thirty notices for adenoids and tonsils. There were notices sent to parents for eight cases of valvular disease of the heart, six notices for enlarged glands, three for pediculosis, one for impetigo contagiosa, three for pleurisy and three for elongated uvulas.

The teeth of the pupils were in very good condition, thirty-two pupils being given notices for decayed teeth. Four cases of eye trouble were referred to the Eye and Ear Infirmary. One case of paralysis of the foot was sent to the Children's Hospital. One case of contraction of fingers following compound fracture of

arm sent to Massachusetts General Hospital with excellent result. Crutches were ordered for one pupil with infantile paralysis but were refused by parents. The habit of finger nail biting was quite noticeable, eighty-seven pupils having the nails on one or all fingers bitten to the skin, and in thirty-six cases to such an extent as to make the fingers bleed, and deformity of the finger tips in some cases. One case of viciousness is being investigated and a report on the same will be made in due time.

On different inspections of the school buildings they were found to be neat and clean and the conditions found bespeak the diligent care of the janitor in each school.

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS J. MAGUIRE.

Natick, Mass., December 30, 1914.

Schools Savings Bank Statement

Eleven months ending January 1st, 1915.

| | 1914 | Previous Account | Total |
|----------------|----------|---------------------|-------------|
| Wilson School | 503.18 | 13,575.09 | \$14,078.27 |
| Eliot | 260.04 | 10,180.12 | 10,440.16 |
| Bacon | 172.15 | 1,233.37 | 1,405.52 |
| Felchville | 146.91 | 964.37 | 1,111.28 |
| Harvard Street | 86.42 | 115.52 | 201.94 |
| Nathan Rice | 173.34 | 1,610.08 | 1,783.42 |
| North Natick | 48.38 | 115.23 | 163.61 |
| Oak Grove | 87.14 | 890.47 | 977.61 |
| West Natick | 25.16 | 158.40 | 183.56 |
| Total | 1,502.72 | 28,842.65 | \$30,345.37 |

Amount of deposits by months.

| | |
|-----------|--------|
| February | 142.94 |
| March | 230.61 |
| April | 142.51 |
| May | 140.04 |
| June | 91.64 |
| September | 131.92 |
| October | 246.96 |
| November | 232.92 |
| December | 143.18 |

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|-------|------------|
| Total | \$1,502.72 |
|-------|------------|

Report of Attendance Officer

Mr. E. L. Willard,
Natick, Mass.
Dear Sir:—

I herewith submit my eleventh annual report as Attendance Officer from February 1st, 1914 to December 31st, 1914.

The whole number of cases reported and investigated are one hundred sixty-one.

| | |
|-----------------------|----|
| Wilson School | 96 |
| Nathan Rice School | 15 |
| Oak Grove School | 8 |
| Felchville School | 14 |
| Bacon School | 10 |
| Harvard Street School | 6 |
| Eliot School | 12 |

| | |
|-------|-----|
| Total | 161 |
|-------|-----|

Of this number twenty-seven were truancy cases. I also visited the factories and found thirty-eight illiterate minors employed.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES FITZPATRICK.

Attendance Officer.

Attendance Records for the Year Ending July 1, 1914

| | Total Enrollment | Average Membership | Average Attendance | Percent of Attendance |
|---------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|
| High School | 390 | 350.7 | 332.5 | 90.8 |
| Wilson School | 532 | 490.0 | 464.6 | 94.8 |
| Eliot | 209 | 193.4 | 185.9 | 95.8 |
| Bacon | 154 | 142.0 | 137.0 | 94.0 |
| Felchville | 153 | 144.9 | 136.9 | 94.5 |
| Harvard Street | 91 | 80.8 | 77.6 | 95.9 |
| Nathan Rice | 212 | 177.7 | 163.7 | 93.9 |
| North Natick | 19 | 16.8 | 16.4 | 95.1 |
| Oak Grove | 192 | 168.0 | 157.2 | 93.5 |
| West Natick | 65 | 59.9 | 57.3 | 95.6 |
| Totals for the year | 2017 | 1824.2 | 1729.1 | 94.2 |

Grades and Ages

| Age and Grade | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | Totals |
|---------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|----|----|----|----|------------|
| I | 116 | 95 | 22 | 5 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 298 |
| II | 1 | 80 | 80 | 20 | 3 | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 187 |
| III | .. | .. | 65 | 67 | 20 | 10 | 4 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 168 |
| IV | .. | .. | 6 | 55 | 66 | 27 | 13 | 3 | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 173 |
| V | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 72 | 59 | 17 | 11 | 7 | 2 | 1 | .. | .. | 172 |
| VI | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 66 | 59 | 31 | 11 | 8 | .. | .. | .. | 137 175 |
| VII | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 64 | 53 | 30 | 12 | 4 | 1 | .. | 168 |
| VIII | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 25 | 52 | 26 | 8 | 1 | 1 | .. | 114 |
| IX | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 30 | 44 | 29 | 15 | 5 | 1 | 126 |
| Totals | 117 | 175 | 173 | 150 | 161 | 169 | 185 | 182 | 120 | 60 | 31 | 7 | 1 | 1521 |

EXPENSE ACCOUNT

Salaries

SUPERVISION

| | |
|----------------------|------------|
| John D. Brooks | \$1,000.00 |
| Edgar L. Willard | 800.00 |
| Hilding Frohling | 650.00 |
| Howard Mason | 350.00 |
| Ethel W. Ratsey | 650.00 |
| Minnie J. Snyder | 400.00 |
| Susie T. Sprout | 450.00 |
| Milan G. Twichell | 520.00 |
| James Fitzpatrick | 100.00 |
| T. J. Maguire, M. D. | 125.00 |
| W. W. Walcott, M. D. | 125.00 |
| Ethel M. Dooling | 49.40 |
| Helen M. Jordan | 190.00 |

 5,409.40

HIGH SCHOOL

| | |
|-----------------------|--------|
| Edwin A. Shaw | 900.00 |
| Edward L. Montgomery | 700.00 |
| Frederic M. Peckham | 480.00 |
| Henry S. White | 360.00 |
| Albert J. Kelly | 75.00 |
| Edward A. Lincoln | 480.00 |
| Floyd W. Burnell | 600.00 |
| Josephine L. Mitchell | 720.00 |
| Elva C. Coulter | 720.00 |
| Lorraine M. Eaton | 720.00 |
| Lucy Zahn | 650.00 |

| | |
|--------------------|--------|
| Matilda Remsen | 350.00 |
| Harriet M. Dillon | 712.00 |
| Mabel I. Dyer | 520.00 |
| Marion E. Sweet | 720.00 |
| Grace V. Knowles | 720.00 |
| E. Christine Davis | 682.50 |
| Mollie J. Minkwitz | 240.00 |
| Marjorie Henry | 400.00 |
| Gertrude King | 20.00 |
| Barbara Johnson | 30.00 |
| Norman J. Bond | 36.00 |
| Isabel Brennan | 8.00 |

 10,843.50

WILSON SCHOOL

| | |
|----------------------|--------|
| Stephen G. Bean | 650.00 |
| Roy A. Kane | 480.00 |
| Sara V. Acton | 595.00 |
| Clara Hudson | 560.00 |
| Emma F. Chater | 537.75 |
| Ida E. Pennell | 540.00 |
| Rose H. Rafferty | 540.00 |
| Edna Mann | 540.00 |
| Katherine A. Ullrich | 540.00 |
| Josephine B. Gilson | 540.00 |
| Edith F. Brooks | 535.50 |
| Cecelia F. Jennings | 540.00 |
| Nellie C. Norris | 540.00 |
| Marion Pooke | 4.50 |

 7,132.75

ELIOT SCHOOL

| | |
|--------------------|--------|
| George L. Spalding | 900.00 |
| Myrtle L. Markham | 560.00 |
| Winifred Gregg | 515.00 |
| Isabella Heinlein | 540.00 |

| | | |
|-----------------|--------|-----------------|
| Marie E. Boland | 540.00 | |
| Julia A. Boland | 540.00 | |
| | | <hr/> \$3595.00 |

NATHAN RICE

| | | |
|--------------------|--------|---------------|
| Ethel M. Hayden | 585.00 | |
| Anna L. Ryan | 515.00 | |
| Effie L. Barnard | 540.00 | |
| Bridget A. Donahoe | 540.00 | |
| | | <hr/> 2180.00 |

OAK GROVE

| | | |
|----------------------|--------|---------------|
| Susan Casey | 583.37 | |
| Elizabeth V. Donahoe | 515.00 | |
| Nellie M. Finn | 537.00 | |
| Ellen A. Hogan | 540.00 | |
| | | <hr/> 2175.37 |

FELCHVILLE

| | | |
|----------------------|--------|---------------|
| Louise R. Ullrich | 585.00 | |
| Margaret A. Sullivan | 509.00 | |
| Annie M. Cupples | 555.00 | |
| Cora A. Schuman | 200.00 | |
| Marion E. Kelliher | 300.00 | |
| Mrs. Janet McNamara | 13.00 | |
| | | <hr/> 2162.00 |

BACON SCHOOL

| | | |
|----------------------|--------|---------------|
| Alice J. Foster | 585.00 | |
| Sarah H. Goldthwaite | 540.00 | |
| May Robinson | 540.00 | |
| Martha Connelly | 515.00 | |
| Louise Eppes | 15.00 | |
| | | <hr/> 2195.00 |

HARVARD SCHOOL

| | | |
|------------------|--------|---------|
| M. Malvina Brown | 537.50 | |
| Mary F. Gilson | 540.00 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | 1077.50 |

WEST NATICK SCHOOL

| | | |
|--------------------|--------|---------|
| Margaret A. Nelson | 582.50 | |
| Louise Eppes | 200.00 | |
| Gertrude Cowan | 273.62 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | 1056.12 |

NORTH NATICK SCHOOL

| | | |
|-----------------|--------|--------|
| Mary N. Sproule | 470.00 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | 470.00 |

SUBSTITUTES AND PUPIL TEACHERS

| | | |
|-------------------|-------|-------|
| Bernice M. Bowler | 6.40 | |
| Frances Callanan | 3.24 | |
| Catherine Conway | 5.70 | |
| Ethel Coon | .50 | |
| Gladys Dawson | 5.35 | |
| Carrie N. Durgin | 3.24 | |
| Ada Melvin | 16.40 | |
| Corla Nelson | 3.00 | |
| Hazel Seale | 2.40 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | 46.23 |

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|------------------------------|-----------|
| Total salaries (Day Schools) | 38,322.87 |
|------------------------------|-----------|

EVENING SCHOOLS

| | |
|---------------------|-------|
| Roy A. Kane | 75.00 |
| George L. Spaulding | 67.50 |
| Sara V. Acton | 48.00 |

| | |
|----------------------|-------|
| Josephine B. Gilson | 60.00 |
| Loretta Moran | 60.00 |
| Nellie C. Norris | 60.00 |
| Katherine A. Ullrich | 60.00 |

 430.50

INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

| | |
|-------------------|--------|
| Louise Cummings | 204.50 |
| Myrtle L. Markham | 52.00 |
| Minnie J. Snyder | 210.70 |

 467.20

JANITORS' SALARIES

| | |
|--------------------|--------|
| John J. Shea | 850.00 |
| James Fitzpatrick | 630.00 |
| William Healey | 550.00 |
| C. F. Sweetland | 397.50 |
| Emery Casavant | 397.50 |
| H. E. Conant | 397.50 |
| John Coleman | 397.50 |
| Harry Anthony | 275.00 |
| William P. Johnson | 225.00 |
| Eugene F. Brown | 50.00 |
| Patrick Beatty | 113.90 |
| James Adams | 75.00 |
| C. H. Whitcomb | 10.50 |
| Patrick J. Linane | 117.50 |

 4,486.90

BARGE DRIVERS' SALARIES

| | |
|----------------|--------|
| L. A. Brown | 226.80 |
| F. C. Cummings | 550.80 |

 777.60

| | |
|-----------------------------|-----------|
| Total Salaries | 44,485.07 |
| Total Bills (See below) | 13,947.78 |
| Total Expenses for the Year | 58,432.85 |

* Eleven months only.

EXPENSE ACCOUNT

| | |
|-----------------------------------|---------|
| Adams, James | \$ 6.75 |
| Adams, John M. | 128.75 |
| Ahern, John J. | 6.25 |
| Albany Supply and Chemical Co. | 12.00 |
| Allen Bros. | 4.00 |
| Allyn and Bacon | 48.48 |
| American Bank Note Co. | 24.28 |
| American Book Co. | 176.80 |
| American Express Co. | 2.74 |
| American Humane Education Society | 5.00 |
| American Seating Co. | .50 |
| Anthony, Harry J. | 11.25 |
| Appleton, D. & Co. | 14.67 |
| Atlantic Tea Company | .55 |
| Babb, Edward E. & Co. | 3158.81 |
| Barker, R. T. | 30.89 |
| Barnard, F. J. & Co. | 121.61 |
| Beal, C. W. | 28.50 |
| Beatty, Patrick | 4.50 |
| Birchard, C. C. & Co. | 6.12 |
| Boston Bank Note Co. | 25.50 |
| Bradley, Milton & Co. | 4.25 |
| Brewer, A. G. | 9.70 |
| Brooks, Anna F. | 63.80 |
| Brooks, John D. | *506.97 |
| Brown, Eugene | 2.33 |
| Brown, Hiram J. | 12.00 |

* Includes money paid for transportation of children.

| | |
|----------------------------|---------|
| Brown, Howland Co. | 7.00 |
| Buckley, P. H. | 41.72 |
| Burke, John J. | 7.50 |
| Burks, Ernest W. | 11.65 |
| Burleigh, O. H. & Co. | 30.00 |
| Burnell, Floyd W. | 6.00 |
| Burton, A. & E. Co. | 25.00 |
| Butler, Pierse | 5.00 |
| Caldwell, W. R. & Co. | 16.15 |
| Casavant, Emery | 4.50 |
| Chandler and Barber | 6.95 |
| Cleland, W. F. | 8.95 |
| Clink, Richard | 145.58 |
| Colby & Co. | 27.24 |
| Coleman, John | 3.00 |
| Committee, School | 22.00 |
| Crane, H. A. | 59.50 |
| Cudahy Packing Co. | 6.00 |
| Daniels, W. S. | 108.55 |
| Dennison Manufacturing Co. | .64 |
| Derby, A. P. | 1.50 |
| DeWitt, J. E. & Co. | 29.81 |
| Diehl, F. & Son | 312.58 |
| Ditson, Oliver Co. | 24.71 |
| Dolan, P. A. | 10.00 |
| Dooling, T. J. | 51.45 |
| Doon, J. W. & Son | 1167.54 |
| Doughty, Henry C. | 20.25 |
| Dover School Department | 10.00 |
| Dutton, E. P. & Co. | 20.80 |
| Edison Illuminating Co. | 344.15 |
| Edwards, E. W. & Son | 5.00 |
| Eimer and Amend | 72.97 |
| Fairbanks, George C. | 58.75 |
| Fairbanks & Son | 16.30 |

| | |
|----------------------------------|--------|
| Farwell, Edwin | 82.00 |
| Filmore & Slade | 9.45 |
| Fiske Corporation | 547.62 |
| Fittz and Barker | 157.63 |
| Foote, W. J. | 4.00 |
| Framingham Construction Co. | 54.67 |
| Framingham Tribune | 2.00 |
| Frost, S. D. | 2.00 |
| Funk & Wagnalls Co. | 67.50 |
| Ginn & Co. | 121.14 |
| Globe-Wernicke Co. | 1.10 |
| Goulding, N. O. | 2.98 |
| Gray & Young | 30.53 |
| Gurney, G. F. Co. | 6.00 |
| Haines, T. M. | 162.00 |
| Hall, George F., Press | 22.75 |
| Hammett, J. L. Co. | 201.37 |
| Hayward, William M. | 7.10 |
| Heath, D. C. & Co. | 39.80 |
| Heywood, Bros. and Wakefield Co. | 6.30 |
| High School Building Committee | 547.58 |
| Holden Patent Book Cover Co. | 6.24 |
| Holt, Henry | 17.00 |
| Houghton, Mifflin Co. | 10.88 |
| Howe & Co. | 65.04 |
| Hughes, William | 2.50 |
| Jameson, Frank J. | 9.25 |
| Johnson, Catherine F. Co. | 2.16 |
| Jones, Hallet E. | .85 |
| Kenny Bros. & Wolkins | 51.00 |
| Klein, Peter G. | 11.00 |
| Knott, L. E. Apparatus Co. | 96.25 |
| Knowlton, D. H. Co. | 2.40 |
| Kopff & King | 5.60 |
| Kyte, E. | 18.50 |

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| Lamb, William H. | 4.20 |
| Leavitt, R. R. | 12.86 |
| Leonard Morse Hospital | 25.00 |
| Little-Brown & Co. | 45.20 |
| Loker Bros. | 67.93 |
| Macmillan Co. | 51.67 |
| Mann, S. W. | 2.60 |
| McCarthy, J. A. | 28.15 |
| McGrath, John J. | 5.53 |
| McKinley Publishing Co. | 2.64 |
| McQuaid, John | 1.50 |
| Metcalf, W. H. | 7.16 |
| Montgomery, Edward L. | 2.25 |
| Morrill, Ralph V. | 49.50 |
| Natick Gas Light Co. | 63.55 |
| Natick Ice Co. | 9.91 |
| Natick Protective Union | .68 |
| Natick Sewer Department | 109.49 |
| Natick Water Department | 148.38 |
| National Book Cover Co. | 19.00 |
| Neostyle Co. | .34 |
| New Century Press Co. | 6.62 |
| New Eng. Carbon Manufacturing Co. | 1.25 |
| New England Co. | 10.00 |
| New England Tel. & Tel. Co. | 121.90 |
| Newson & Co. | 63.50 |
| Nonotuck Silk Co. | 1.25 |
| O'Connell, Thomas | 22.80 |
| Oliver Bros. | 19.00 |
| Oliver Typewriter Co. | 2.79 |
| Orient Spray Co. | 115.21 |
| Palmer, A. N. Co. | 44.20 |
| Parlee, C. W. | 5.54 |
| Peoples Steam Laundry | 22.85 |
| Powers, John H. | 4.50 |

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| Pulsifer, L. E. | 30.00 |
| Putney, A. F. | 2.50 |
| Rand, McNally Co. | 35.10 |
| Ratsey, Ethel | 11.83 |
| Reed, Charles Specialty Co. | 1.00 |
| Remington Typewriter Co. | 8.09 |
| Richardson, D. W. | 56.75 |
| Richardson, E. A. | 7.09 |
| Riley & Sanborn | 3.00 |
| Robbins, H. S. | 1.00 |
| Robinson, Jones & Co. | 1034.51 |
| Rogers, W. J. | .55 |
| Rowan, Patrick, | 33.61 |
| Rowles, E, W. A. & Co. | 1.87 |
| Royal Typewriter Co. | 78.00 |
| Ryan, D. C. | 11.01 |
| Sanborn, Benjamin H. Co. | 44.67 |
| Sanger John L. | 30.00 |
| Schoenhof Book Co. | 7.38 |
| Scribner's, Charles H. Sons | 1.35 |
| Shaw, Edwin A. | 36.15 |
| Shawmut Chemical Co. | 45.00 |
| Shea, John J. | 11.00 |
| Silver, Burdett & Co. | 36.68 |
| Spaulding Print Paper Co. | 1.95 |
| Spooner, Charles E. | 5.28 |
| Sprout, Susie T. | 2.56 |
| Standard Oil Co. | 21.27 |
| Suburban Press | 142.15 |
| Sweetland, C. F. | 19.00 |
| Sweetland, J. E. | 25.00 |
| Thorp & Martin Co. | 40.00 |
| Todd, William M. Co. | 60.73 |
| Transo Paper Co. | 10.13 |
| Ullrich, J. L. | 1.15 |

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| Underwood Furniture Co. | 78.73 |
| Underwood Typewriter Co. | 22.00 |
| Union Lumber Co. | 1,207.36 |
| Walkup C. E. | 13.68 |
| Wayland, Town of | 19.00 |
| West Disinfecting Co. | 44.75 |
| Wight, W. A. | 3.20 |
| Wignot, E. & J. T. | 43.85 |
| Willard E. L. | 22.40 |
| Williams & Brown | 1.27 |
| Woods, O. & Co. | 20.42 |
| Wright & Potter Print Co, | 1.06 |
| Young, N. P. | 23.72 |
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| Total | \$13,947.78 |

FORTY-SECOND ANNUAL REPORT

of the

MORSE INSTITUTE LIBRARY

NATICK, MASS.

1914

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REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES

At a meeting of the Trustees January 14, 1915, it was voted to accept the report of the Librarian, and to adopt it as the report of the Trustees.

HORACE B. GALE,

Secretary pro tem.

REPORT OF TREASURER MORSE INSTITUTE

Town Appropriation Account

RECEIPTS

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| Appropriation | \$2400.00 |
| Dog Money | 957.90 |
| H. C. Dallman Co. (Returned Check) | 2.00 |
| Royal Typewriter Co. (Cash Returned) | 20.00 |

\$3379.90

EXPENDITURES

| | |
|----------------------------|-----------|
| Salaries | \$2324.53 |
| Lighting | 179.50 |
| Fuel | 135.09 |
| Newspapers and Periodicals | 167.60 |
| Repairs and Improvements | 262.94 |
| Printing | 58.40 |
| Insurance | 77.24 |
| Miscellaneous | 170.33 |

3375.63

Unexpended Balance

4.27

Approved,

THOMAS J. SHEA,

Auditor.

January 18, 1914.

TRUST FUNDS

GENERAL BOOK FUND

| | |
|-------------------------------------|-------------|
| Invested Funds February 1, 1914 | \$22,137.54 |
| Interest on Mortgage Loans | 883.95 |
| Interest on One Bond | 45.00 |
| Interest on Deposit in Savings Bank | 163.60 |
| Cash from Duplicate Pay Collection | 270.72 |
| Cash from Former Treasurer | 3.80 |

\$23,504.61

EXPENDITURES

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| Books | 958.33 |
| Miscellaneous | 27.28 |

985.61

\$22,519.00

ON HAND JANUARY 1, 1915

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| Mortgage Loans | \$16,800.00 |
| One Bond | 1,000.00 |
| Deposit in Natick Savings Bank | 4,505.21 |
| Deposit in Natick National Bank | 178.79 |
| Cash on Hand | 35.00 |

\$22,519.00

JOHN O. WILSON FUND FOR YOUNG PEOPLE'S
LIBRARY

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| Invested Funds February 1, 1914 | \$4,475.31 |
| Additional Bequest under will of John O. Wilson | 2,000.00 |
| Interest on three bonds | 135.00 |
| Interest on deposits in Savings Banks | 86.54 |
| Interest on deposit in National Bank | 12.98 |
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| | \$6,709.83 |

EXPENDITURES

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|---------------------|------------|
| Books and Magazines | \$115.54 |
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| | \$6,594.29 |

ON HAND JANUARY 1, 1915

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| Three Bonds | \$8,000.00 |
| Deposit in Natick Savings Bank | 1,516.88 |
| Deposit in Wellesley Savings Bank | 2,020.00 |
| Deposit in National Bank | 57.41 |
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| | 6,594.29 |

Audited for Board of Trustees of Morse Institute

REPORT OF LIBRARIAN

To the Trustees of the Morse Institute:

Gentlemen:

The forty-second annual report is herewith presented. Unlike that of any other year, it includes the record of only eleven months, from February 1, 1914, to January 1, 1915, because of the state law compelling all cities and towns to begin their accounts January first of each year. For this reason it is a little difficult to compare results with those of other years except month by month, but even that gives an increase both in circulation and work here.

As was very aptly quoted in our local paper a short time ago, mere figures do not indicate a large portion of the work accomplished in libraries, but it is a fact seldom realized by the uninitiated. The supplying of material on all the subjects requested is something that can never be reduced to figures, and about as many books and periodicals are used in the building as are taken out. Another thing rarely taken into consideration is the amount of routine work necessary to have everything in readiness for instant use.

The cataloguing of books is one illustration, for it is always a surprise to an applicant that new books are not ready for delivery as soon as received, so a brief survey of the process may not be superfluous. After a book list has been made out with much care, and filled by the bookseller, the invoice has to be checked to be certain that all have been received; each book collated; slips made out by number, or with the author, title and imprint to send to Washington for such Library of Congress cards as can be applied; book classified by the Dewey decimal classi-

fication; the author number added by the Cutter alphabetical order table; entered into the accession catalogue; shelf cards made out; Library of Congress cards given call numbers, and title and subject headings, and if these are not obtainable, entire cards have to be typewritten for the card catalogue; book plates, pockets, slips and labels added and filled out; book card written, book stamped in three places with library stamp for identification; revised; booklists compiled and typewritten for the printer, and the cards filed in their respective places. With the many interruptions it is a little difficult to place new books in the hands of the reader within twenty-four hours after arrival, and this is only one phase of the work.

Accordingly the Duplicate Pay Collection of fiction has been popular as here no cataloguing has to be done, and consequently no waiting. At present there are 120 books in this collection, and \$270.72 have been paid in this year, which has made it possible to add a larger number of volumes to the fiction in regular circulation both by purchase and transferral. While the output in this class was apparently very heavy, there was really a three per cent decrease. The circulation of fiction and non-fiction cannot be compared to advantage for one may draw one or more books of fiction a day according to the number of cards in his possession—and the confirmed novel reader would be better satisfied with one an hour—while one volume of non-fiction would be more likely to be kept out a month.

With renewed interest on the part of superintendent, teachers and scholars, this winter has been very busy. A larger number of cards has been issued and nearly half of the applicants have been students. With the additional reference work of the High and Grade Schools, it has been a difficult matter much of the time to do anything else, but it is very satisfactory to know that they are making use of their privileges and establishing the library habit.

In the spring classes came from the High School for instruction in the use of the reference books and the card catalogue,

and throughout the year all the High School divisions in English have had books reserved for collateral reading. So much interest has been manifested that the lists have had to be extended several times.

Through the Woman's Education Association of Boston we had a set of Italian books for six months and although they were advertised extensively, they had only a medium circulation, but since they were returned there have been several calls, and recently a desire was expressed that a few be purchased.

The set of modern Greek books from the Massachusetts Free Public Library Commission has been a great success, for they are used by both Greeks and Albanians, and there is not a day but what several are reading them here as well as taking them home. Also they are an introduction to books on citizenship and on the history and description of their own countries which we have in English. A combined Bulgarian grammar and reader was bought besides to assist a young man to learn our language who could only speak Bulgarian or Russian. The unvarying courtesy of these foreigners, and their appreciation of the opportunity to obtain a few books in their language is notable.

With the various clubs, debating societies and students, the reference room always has its full quota of visitors, and we have many calls from the residents of the surrounding towns. More than the usual amount has been allotted to this section this year, and among the books purchased is a set of the *Encyclopædia of American government*, in three volumes, edited by Andrew C. McLaughlin and Albert B. Hart, and a subscription has been placed for the revised edition of the *New International Encyclopædia* in twenty-four volumes, of which eight have already been received.

The great difficulty here as well as elsewhere in the building is lack of room, and because of this we are deprived of the Massachusetts Library Art Club exhibits which were so popular when we used to have them, and which are of such a high standard of excellence. This need of more room is a serious

matter, for besides lacking accommodation for readers, and the removing of books each year to the basement, there is absolutely no place for files of magazines which should be upstairs.

Mr. Louis Arthur Coolidge with characteristic generosity has presented the library with the original draft of Henry Wilson's acceptance of the nomination for Vice-President in 1872. It has his signature, although the main portion was written by Rev. Samuel Hunt who was his secretary, and who was minister of the Congregational church here for several years. It is a most valuable addition to the collection of material which the library already possesses concerning Vice-President Wilson.

A unique gift of a Sioux calumet or peace pipe, made of their sacred stone found only in Dakota, has been given by Mr. George W. Saunders. It is in the form of a tomahawk with emblematic carvings, and was formerly the property of a Sioux chief who came to Washington in the eighties to sign a treaty for his people.

Mr. Sumner Woods has sent another calendar with a large colored picture of the Panama Canal. This one is of the Gatun Locks, and has a complete description, and will be as valuable for reference as the one last year.

We are indebted to the Boston Public library for several volumes borrowed for the benefit of patrons, to several other libraries which have sent lists of new books as issued, and to many individual and firms for favors received.

The Neighborhood Library club met here the thirtieth of December, and while few were out because of inclement weather a very pleasant session was enjoyed.

Miss Carena L. Haggett has had a successful eleven months with the children in the Young People's library, although the over-crowded condition of the rooms has made it a difficult matter many times. Since the superintendent has given out lists of books to the children in the schools, there has been an increased demand for cards, and it is gratifying to see a concerted effort to raise the standard of reading.

Arrangements have been made whereby the story hour may be a certainty this year with a little extra outlay, and no money could be better invested.

The teachers appreciate the many helps found here, and the kindly spirit of Miss Haggett, and in addition to the many mounted prose and poetical selections, classified pictures and drawings will soon be ready for similar distribution. These collections have been of much assistance elsewhere and will doubtless prove acceptable here. There are also a few sets of the Underwood stereoscopic pictures which might be found useful in the teaching of geography.

Books have been sent to the schools at West Natick, and through the generosity of Mr. John B. Leamy to North Natick and Felchville schools without expense to the library.

With so many out of work the reading rooms have had no vacant seats. The new movement, originating with the members of the League of Library Commissioners and discussed at a meeting held by them in Chicago recently, to eliminate the daily papers from library reading rooms, is interesting many. The theory is that with the reduced price of such literature, it is unnecessary to provide what each one can purchase for himself. As the subject is to be brought before the annual convention of the American Library Association to be held in June, an interesting session may be expected.

A large political map of Europe, and Rand & McNally's new commercial map of the same country have been hung here, and Scarborough's new census map of the New England states.

Also Mr. Daniel Sheehan gave a large chart published by the Department of Commerce, on the International Metric System, and this has been placed in the south reading room for convenient reference.

A semi-indirect system of electric lighting is soon to be installed by Mr. George R. Wright of the Fiske Corporation. The old gas fixtures and exposed wiring are to be removed and modern methods employed throughout.

The lawn this year shows the benefit of re-making, and with few exceptions, people have appreciated the change sufficiently to give the grass a chance to grow. The heavy mulch of dressing around the shrubs this fall will help them to bear exposure to another dry summer with less difficulty.

A spirit of cheerful co-operation on the part of each member of the staff has been the means of faithful service to the public; the duties of the janitor have been efficiently performed; and to the Trustees I wish to express my acknowledgment of their kindly direction and support.

Respectfully submitted,

MIRA R. PARTRIDGE.

Librarian

Main Library

ACCESSIONS AND CIRCULATION

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| Number of volumes added by purchase | 592 |
| Number of volumes added by binding | 57 |
| Number of volumes added by gift | 14 |
| Number of volumes transferred from duplicate pay collection | 22 |
| Number of volumes in the library January 1, 1915 | 27,225 |
| Number of volumes rebound | 122 |
| Number of volumes covered and repaired at library | 19,427 |
| Number of days library was open | 277 |
| Number of volumes delivered for home use eleven months | 36,424 |
| Number of names registered during the year | 452 |
| Total number of names registered | 4,367 |

CLASSIFICATION

| Class | Loans | Per cent |
|-------------------------------|-------|----------|
| General Works and Periodicals | 2,616 | 7.18 |
| Philosophy | 562 | 1.54 |
| Religion | 366 | 1.00 |
| Sociology | 879 | 2.41 |
| Philology | 86 | .24 |
| Natural Science | 392 | 1.07 |
| Useful Arts | 796 | 2.19 |
| Fine Arts | 904 | 2.48 |
| Literature | 1,889 | 5.19 |

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| History | 883 | 2.42 |
| Travel | 1,061 | 2.93 |
| Biography | 939 | 2.58 |
| Fiction | 25,051 | 68.77 |
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| | 36,424 | 100.00 |

RECEIPTS

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| Balance February 1, 1914 | \$18.48 |
| Fines | 154.69 |
| Lost cards | 7.65 |
| Postals | 2.50 |
| Miscellaneous | 21.96 |
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| | \$205.28 |

EXPENDITURES

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| Books | 109.71 |
| Express | 13.68 |
| Postage and stationery | 22.59 |
| Repairs and supplies | 44.83 |
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| | 190.81 |
| Balance, January 1, 1915 | \$14.47 |

GIFTS

| | Vol. | Pamph. |
|----------------------------|------|--------|
| United States: | | |
| Agriculture, Department of | | 11 |
| Commerce, Department of | | |
| Bureau of the census | 5 | 21 |
| Interior, Department of | | 2 |
| Patent office | | |
| Official gazette | | |
| Labor, Department of | | 14 |
| War, Department of | | 7 |

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| Library of Congress | 1 | 9 |
| National academy of science | | 1 |
| Smithsonian Institution | | 26 |
| United States national museum | 3 | 7 |
| Superintendent of documents | 3 | 13 |
| United States commissions | | |
| Civil service commission | 1 | |
| Interstate commerce commission | 1 | |
| Massachusetts: | | |
| Bureau of statistics | 1 | 9 |
| Cemetery department | | 1 |
| Free public library commission | | 1 |
| Loan of 35 Greek books | | |
| Massachusetts state Agricultural college | | 1 |
| Agricultural experiment station | | 14 |
| Massachusetts nautical training school | | 1 |
| Secretary of state | 12 | 2 |
| Trustees of public reservations | 1 | |
| Educational institutions: | | |
| Amherst college, Amherst | | 1 |
| Brown university, Providence, R. I. | | 1 |
| Brown alumni bulletin | | |
| College of physicians and surgeons, Boston | | 1 |
| Harvard College, Cambridge | | 1 |
| Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Boston | | 1 |
| Libraries: | | |
| Albany, N. Y., State library | | 1 |
| Arlington, Robbins library | | 1 |
| Belmont | | 1 |
| Boston | | 1 |
| Brockton | | 3 |
| Brookline | | 5 |
| Brooklyn, N. Y. | | 1 |
| Brooklyn, N. Y., Pratt Institute | | 4 |

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| Burlington, Vt., Fletcher Free library | 1 |
| Cambridge | 1 |
| Chelsea | 1 |
| Cleveland, Ohio | 1 |
| Clinton, Bigelow free public library | 1 |
| Concord | 1 |
| Danvers, Peabody institute | 1 |
| Erie, Pa. | 1 |
| Fitchburg | 3 |
| Gardner, Levi Hayward memorial library | 1 |
| Helena, Montana | 2 |
| Hopedale, Bancroft memorial library | 1 |
| Hudson | 1 |
| Lancaster | 1 |
| Leominster | 1 |
| Lexington | 1 |
| Lynn | 1 |
| Malden | 1 |
| Manchester, N. H. | 1 |
| Medford | 1 |
| Melrose | 1 |
| New York, N. Y. | 1 |
| Newton | 2 |
| Northampton | 1 |
| Northampton, Forbes library | 1 |
| Pittsburg, Pa. | 1 |
| Providence, R. I. | 1 |
| Quincy, Thomas Crane public library | 1 |
| Salem | 1 |
| Somerville | 3 |
| Springfield | 10 |
| Syracuse, N. Y. | 1 |
| Wakefield | 1 |
| Waterbury, Conn., Silas Bronson public library | 1 |
| Westborough | 1 |

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| Weymouth, Tufts library | | 1 |
| Winchester | | 1 |
| Woburn | | 1 |
| Worcester | | 1 |
| Associations and institutions: | | |
| American association for international conciliation, N. Y. | | 15 |
| Boston association for the relief and control of tuberculosis | | 1 |
| Carnegie endowment for international peace, Washington, D.C. | 3 | 1 |
| Carnegie hero fund commission, Washington, D. C. | | 1 |
| Lake Mohonk conference, Lake Mohonk, N. Y. | | 1 |
| Massachusetts anti-tuberculosis league, Boston | | 1 |
| Massachusetts Audubon society, Boston | | 1 |
| New England anti-vivisection society, Boston | | 1 |
| Panama Pacific international exposition, San Francisco, Cal. | | 2 |
| Woman's education association, Boston | | |
| Loan of 46 Italian books | | |
| World peace foundation, Boston | | 15 |
| Individuals and firms: | | |
| Alexander, Mrs. Stella H., Wellesley | 1 | |
| American telephone and telegraph co., N. Y. | 3 | 4 |
| Bowen, Mrs. Eleanor | | |
| Cosmopolitan, 1914 | | |
| Brown, Rome G., Minneapolis, Minn. | | 1 |
| Clough, James M. | 1 | |
| Cooney, Patrick H. | 1 | |
| Doubleday, Page & Co., N. Y. | | 4 |
| Electric railway journal, N. Y. | 1 | |

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| Firth, Frank J., Philadelphia, Pa. | 1 | |
| Forbush, Gayle T. | | 1 |
| G. P. Putnam's sons, N. Y. | 1 | |
| Hinds, Noble & Eldridge, N. Y. | 1 | |
| Lodge, Hon. Henry C., Washington, D.C. | | 1 |
| Marvin, Fred R., N. Y. | 1 | |
| Old Corner Book Store, Boston | | 1 |
| Reid, Mrs. Walter, Springfield, Ill. | 1 | |
| Strong, Everett T. | | 1 |
| W. A. Wilde & Co., Boston | 1 | |

NEWSPAPERS AND PERIODICALS

| Names | Source. |
|---------------------------|------------------|
| American Cultivator | Morse Institute |
| American homes & gardens | " " |
| American machinist | " " |
| American magazine | " " |
| Art and Progress | " " |
| Atlantic | " " |
| Book review digest | " " |
| Bookman | " " |
| Boston daily advertiser | " " |
| Boston daily globe | " " |
| Boston evening record | " " |
| Boston evening transcript | " " |
| Boston journal | " " |
| Boston post | " " |
| Boston Sunday globe | " " |
| Boston Sunday herald | " " |
| Brown alumni monthly | Brown University |
| Brush & pail | Publishers |
| Building age | " " |
| Canadian magazine | Morse Institute |
| Century | " " |
| Chrstian register | Publishers |

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| Christian science sentinel | Publishers |
| Church militant | " |
| Colliers's weekly | Morse Institute |
| Congregationalist | Congregational Society |
| Congressional record | Hon. John W. Weeks |
| Cosmopolitan | Morse Institute |
| Country life in America | " " |
| Craftsman | " " |
| Current opinion | " " |
| Daughters of the D. A. R. | Mrs. Charles Q. Tirrell |
| Delineator | Morse Institute |
| Dial | " " |
| Engineering magazine | " " |
| Everybody's magazine | " " |
| Field afar | Miss Bridget A. Donahoe |
| Filipino people | Hon. Manuel L. Quezon |
| Forum | Morse Institute |
| Garden magazine | " " |
| Good housekeeping | " " |
| Gospel trumpet | Publishers |
| Harper's bazar | Morse Institute |
| Harper's magazine | " " |
| Harper's weekly | " " |
| Healthy home | " " |
| Illustrated London news | " " |
| Independent | " " |
| Keramic studio | " " |
| Ladies' home journal | " " |
| Ladies' world | " " |
| Library journal | " " |
| Literary digest | " " |
| McClure's magazine | " " |
| Mass. bureau of labor bulletins | Department |
| Massachusetts bureau of statistics | " |
| Modern electrics and mechanics | Morse Institute |

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| Modern Priscilla | Morse Institute |
| Munsey's magazine | " " |
| Musician | " " |
| Natick bulletin | Publishers |
| Natick citizen | " |
| Natick tribune | " |
| Nation | Morse Institute |
| National geographic magazine | " " |
| New England magazine | " " |
| New Eng. shoe & leather industry | Publishers |
| New York sun | Morse Institute |
| New York tribune | " " |
| New York world | " " |
| Normal instructor | " " |
| North American review | " " |
| Our dumb animals | " " |
| Our four footed friends | " " |
| Outing | " " |
| Outlook | " " |
| Patent office gazette | Patent Office |
| Pictorial review | Morse Institute |
| Pilot | John J. Ahern |
| Popular educator | Morse Institute |
| Popular mechanics | " " |
| Popular science monthly | " " |
| Protectionist | Publishers |
| Public libraries | Morse Institute |
| Publishers' weekly | " " |
| Reader's guide to periodical literature | " " |
| Remonstrance | Publishers |
| Review of reviews | Morse Institute |
| Sacred Heart review | Jeremiah J. Healy |
| Saturday evening post | Morse Institute |
| School arts book | " " |
| Scientific American | " " |

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| Scientific American supplement | Morse Institute |
| Scribner's magazine | " " |
| Sea breeze | Publishers |
| Spirit of missions | Episcopal Society |
| Springfield republican | Morse Institute |
| Sunset | " " |
| Survey | " " |
| Technical world | " " |
| Temperance cause | Publishers |
| Theosophical path | James E. Clough |
| United States bureau of labor bulletins | Department |
| Woman's home companion | Morse Institute |
| Woman's journal | Woman's Suffrage League |
| World's work | Morse Institute |
| Yale review | " " |
| Zion's herald | Methodist Society |

Young People's Library

ACCESSIONS AND CIRCULATION

| | |
|---|--------|
| Number of volumes added by purchase | 161 |
| Number of volumes added by binding | 5 |
| Number of volumes in the library January 1, 1915 | 3,121 |
| Number of volumes rebound | 104 |
| Number of volumes covered and repaired at library | 12,878 |
| Number of volumes delivered for home use, 11 months | 11,431 |
| Number of days library was open | 277 |

CLASSIFICATION

| Class | Loans | Per cent |
|-------------|-------|----------|
| Periodicals | 7 | 1.34 |
| Philosophy | 2 | |
| Religion | 67 | |
| Philology | 3 | |

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|-----------------|--------|--------|
| Sociology | 509 | 4.45 |
| Natural science | 376 | 3.29 |
| Useful arts | 189 | 1.65 |
| Fine arts | 178 | 1.56 |
| Literature | 619 | 5.42 |
| History | 322 | 2.82 |
| Travel | 420 | 3.67 |
| Biography | 242 | 2.12 |
| Fiction | 8,423 | 73.68 |
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| | 11,431 | 100.00 |

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

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| Balance, February 1, 1914 | \$5.67 |
| Received from fines, etc. | 23.48 |
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| | \$29.15 |
| Expended | 26.13 |
| Balance, January 1, 1915 | 3.02 |

PERIODICALS

| Name | Source |
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| American boy | Wilson fund |
| Boy's life | " " |
| Current events | " " |
| John Martin's book | " " |
| Little folks | " " |
| Our dumb animals | " " |
| Our four footed friends | " " |
| St. Nicholas | " " |
| Something to do | " " |
| World's chronicle | " " |
| Youth's companion | " " |

ANNUAL REPORT

of the

HIGHWAY SURVEYOR

NATICK, MASS.

1914

HIGHWAY SURVEYOR'S REPORT.

I have the pleasure to submit my first annual report as Highway Surveyor:

It is unnecessary for me to call the attention of the voters to the impossibility of keeping the miles of streets in perfect condition or building new roads with the limited amount of money at the command of your surveyor. I approached the work realizing the futility of performing the impossible and determining to give the best that was in me for this important part of the town work. I have been particularly watchful of the department appropriation and careful to act in conjunction with the appropriation committee in their allotment of moneys to be expended. I am pleased to say that the department is within the appropriation. This has been difficult in some cases and I would recommend that the balances over estimates be allowed for use on other branches of street services.

I would recommend that an appropriation be set aside for the employment of teams on the outskirts of the town. It would give the outlying tax payer better roads. Our three teams are insufficient to do the work properly when spread over such a large area and operating so far from their center.

Many citizens have asked for the oiling of streets near and abutting on their property; in many cases this has been done and the work paid for by the individual. I believe an appropriation should be made to encourage citizens to do this as the town should pay at least one half of the cost. Every place a street is treated with tarvia or heavy oil it improves and lengthens the

life of the roadway and is a judicious outlay of the town's money.

During the year, 1800 feet of street was built on South Main street, from Washburn square to the brook beyond Curve street. From eight to ten inches of cobble and crushed stone were used. I would recommend that heavy oil or tarvia be applied to this road in the late spring. It would be poor economy to now neglect it. The same treatment should be given North Main street, from a point north of Washington avenue to Worcester street, as this splendid piece of road should be reclaimed and put in good condition.

Main street and North Main to Washington avenue should be given attention. The report of the special committee will I assume explain the situation and its necessary improvement. The matter of underdrains is a vital one. I would recommend the employment of an engineer who would make a survey of our centres and submit a comprehensive plan of surface water disposal. The filling in of water courses on private property, the lack of proper grades on new streets, the shunting of water on others, the raising of streets and plugging of drains is the cause of great trouble and damage to property. Should a survey be made at once all future work could be done with a view to the adoption of a new system and a large sum of money saved for the town.

The tar sidewalks are in bad condition in most cases. I would recommend that these be repaired by tar construction, and that the continued use of cement be followed on new walks.

East Central Street should be resurfaced or patched and treated with tarvia. North Avenue and South Avenue, particularly the latter because of the street railway conditions, should be given much attention. Washington Avenue is in poor condition its entire length. Eliot and Pleasant Streets should be patched and treated with oil or tarvia.

Worcester Street at Oak Street and Whittier Road should be underdrained so as to take care of the surface water that lodges there.

Pond Street from Cemetery Street to St. Patrick's cemetery is in much need of attention and improvements.

I would recommend the construction of cement bridge on Plain Street, the present is in bad condition. The bridge on Lincoln Street Extension is also in much need of repairs. The bridge on South Street near the Stillman estate has been reconstructed of cement and should be a permanent one. Mr. Stillman has agreed to erect guard sides which will make an attractive and substantial finish to the work.

In conclusion I wish to extend my thanks to all of the Town Officials with whom I have come in contact. From them all I have received every possible courtesy and assistance, for all of which I am deeply grateful.

WILLIAM J. OAKES.

Financial Report.

| | Appropriations | Expended |
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| Surveyor's Salary | \$1283.33 | \$1283.33 |
| Salary of drivers | 4188.94 | 4176.01 |
| Stable equipment | 2103.32 | 2077.87 |
| Shoeing and repairing | 928.46 | 806.25 |
| Miscellaneous and Insurance | 545.43 | 541.03 |
| Street Cleaning | 1700.00 | 1699.33 |
| Extra Help | 1400.00 | 1399.88 |
| Road Materials | 908.70 | 493.64 |
| Road roller repairs and operation | 400.00 | 304.14 |
| Water | 750.00 | 544.50 |
| Snow expense | 716.50 | 716.50 |
| Repairing sidewalks, catch basins, culverts, fences and bridges | 2000.00 | 1998.82 |
| Street Sprinkling | 1900.00 | 1818.16 |
| Excess Excise tax | 168.16 | 133.70 |
| Roxbury Avenue | 300.00 | 295.91 |
| West Central Street | 300.90 | 230.32 |
| East Central Street | 600.00 | 603.78 |
| South Main Street | 2500.00 | 2495.48 |
| Cochituate Street Bridge | 178.25 | 173.09 |
| Marion Street Bridge | 361.00 | 351.92 |
| South Street Bridge | 400.00 | 400.00 |
| Pegan Brook | 300.00 | 127.41 |
| Morse Street Drain | 560.00 | 608.14 |
| Granolithic Walks | 1330.00 | 1280.10 |
| Court Street | 80.00 | 73.00 |

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| High School Walk | 575.00 | 572.00 |
| Worcester Street | 150.00 | 149.65 |
| Total | <u>\$26,627.09</u> | <u>\$25,353.96</u> |

Unexpended Balance \$1,273.13

CREDITS

| | | |
|------------------------|-------|---------------|
| Stable, Sale of Manure | 15.00 | |
| Cart | 20.00 | |
| Pipe | 12.32 | |
| Miscellaneous | 40.00 | |
| Gravel | .60 | |
| Oil Barrels | 3.50 | |
| Watering Cart | 45.00 | |
| | | <u>136.42</u> |

Total Balance \$1409.55

Approved,
THOMAS J. SHEA,
Auditor.

January 18, 1915.

HIGHWAYS

| | |
|---------------------------------------|----------|
| 1 F. W. Manchester, pay roll | \$126.25 |
| 2 F. W. Manchester, pay roll | 101.26 |
| 3 F. W. Manchester, pay roll | 174.64 |
| 4 F. W. Manchester, pay roll | 188.70 |
| 5 William J. Oakes, pay roll | 166.35 |
| 6 William J. Oakes, pay roll | 125.13 |
| 7 S. F. Young, breaking snow | 16.50 |
| 8 D. J. Ferguson & Son, breaking snow | 143.75 |
| 9 G. W. Travis, hay | 84.57 |
| 10 F. Diehl & Son, hay and grain | 43.66 |

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| 11 | Robinson & Jones Co., hay and grain | 72.42 |
| 12 | J. W. Doon & Son, hay and grain | 38.19 |
| 13 | John M. Adams, breaking snow | 116.77 |
| 14 | L. A. Brown, breaking snow | 30.25 |
| 15 | M. E. Hall, breaking snow | 34.50 |
| 16 | Hiram J. Brown, breaking snow | 26.13 |
| 17 | John Chimeno, breaking snow | 77.15 |
| 18 | J. A. Hill, breaking snow | 68.00 |
| 19 | Pierse Butler, blacksmithing | 4.95 |
| 20 | John Carey & Sons, blacksmithing | 5.50 |
| 21 | William B. Pratt, blacksmithing | 8.05 |
| 22 | William J. Burke, blacksmithing | 17.65 |
| 23 | J. J. Walker, blacksmithing | 1.00 |
| 24 | F. Diehl & Son, supplies | 42.15 |
| 25 | Robinson & Jones Co., supplies | 4.10 |
| 26 | J. D. Macewen, repairs | 18.65 |
| 27 | Fiske & Co., supplies | 1.95 |
| 28 | Thomas A. Doyle. V. M. D., services | 12.00 |
| 29 | Geo. C. Fairbanks, supplies | 1.00 |
| 30 | John J. Morris, gravel | 8.70 |
| 31 | New England Tel. & Tel. Co. | 1.66 |
| 32 | Natick Water Dept., use of pump | 1.00 |
| 33 | William J. Oakes, pay roll | 149.88 |
| 34 | William J. Oakes, pay roll | 175.20 |
| 35 | C. H. Whitcomb rent of shed | 40.00 |
| 36 | T. H. Ried, breaking snow | 20.68 |
| 37 | Hill, Smith & Co., supplies | 4.50 |
| 38 | J. W. Doon & Son, hay and grain | 44.17 |
| 39 | William J. Burke, blacksmithing | 53.45 |
| 40 | W. E. Simm, supplies road roller | 5.00 |
| 41 | William J. Oakes, pay roll | 193.76 |
| 42 | A. G. Brewer, supplies road roller | 1.15 |
| 43 | William A. Simmons, blacksmithing | 7.33 |
| 44 | N. E. Road Mchy. Co., supplies | 18.00 |
| 45 | James Naphen, hay | 29.55 |

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| 46 | Robinson & Jones, hay and grain | 38.05 |
| 47 | F. Diehl & Son, hay and grain | 51.53 |
| 48 | Howe & Co., express | .50 |
| 49 | New England Tel. & Tel Co. | 2.16 |
| 50 | Natick Fire Dept., use of steamer No. 1 | 20.00 |
| 51 | N. O. Goulding, supplies | 4.06 |
| 52 | William J. Oakes, pay roll | 206.16 |
| 53 | Pierse Butler, blacksmithing | 14.05 |
| 54 | William J. Oakes, pay roll | 275.89 |
| 55 | M. G. Hoey, pipe | 5.76 |
| 56 | William J. Oakes, pay roll | 317.50 |
| 57 | William J. Oakes, pay roll | 307.38 |
| 58 | D. J. Ferguson & Son, breaking snow and hay | 48.19 |
| 59 | F. Diehl & Son, hay and grain | 52.44 |
| 60 | George Naphen, bay | 24.19 |
| 61 | Robinson & Jones, hay and grain | 25.70 |
| 62 | J. W. Doon & Sons, hay, grain and cement | 30.25 |
| 63 | William J. Burke, blacksmithing, | 9.20 |
| 64 | Pierse Butler, blacksmithing | 3.20 |
| 65 | Union Lumber Co., lumber | .25 |
| 66 | Hill, Smith & Co. stationery | .85 |
| 67 | New England Tel. & Tel. | 1.32 |
| 68 | William J. Oakes, pay roll | 223.02 |
| 69 | George F. Hall, printing | 4.75 |
| 70 | William J. Oakes, pay roll | 187.04 |
| 71 | Morris & Mulqueeney, cement walk Court Street | 9.40 |
| 72 | Atlantic Tea Co., lanterns | 4.32 |
| 73 | New England Tel & Tel Co. | 3.18 |
| 74 | William J. Oakes, pay roll | 289.98 |
| 75 | Frank McMahan, street sprinkling | 11.50 |
| 76 | Ralph Brown, street sprinkling | 47.50 |
| 77 | William J. Oakes, pay roll | 233.50 |
| 78 | William J. Oakes, pay roll | 211.00 |
| 79 | Standard Oil Co., road oil | 22.88 |
| 80 | William J. Oakes. freight on oil | 2.86 |

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| 81 | Robinson & Jones Co., hay and grain | 43.39 |
| 82 | J. W. Doon & Son, grain | 31.20 |
| 83 | F. Diehl & Son, hay and grain | 49.29 |
| 84 | Thomas A. Doyle, V.M.D., services | 8.75 |
| 85 | J. D. Macewen, cart | 175.00 |
| 86 | Wm. A. Simmons, blacksmithing | 14.35 |
| 87 | Union Lumber, coal and lumber | 17.19 |
| 88 | William J. Oakes, pay roll | 247.00 |
| 89 | Edwin Farwell, insurance | 35.00 |
| 90 | William J. Oakes, pay roll | 377.68 |
| 91 | J. B. Moyse, repairs and supplies | 101.75 |
| 92 | N. O. Goulding, supplies | 7.55 |
| 93 | Pierse Butler, blacksmithing | 10.00 |
| 94 | Cornelius Callahan Co., hose, road roller | 11.80 |
| 95 | P. H. Buckley, oil | 3.61 |
| 96 | J. W. Foote, carting plank | 1.50 |
| 97 | William J. Oakes, pay roll | 287.75 |
| 98 | William J. Oakes, pay roll | 407.57 |
| 99 | William J. Oakes, pay roll | 224.51 |
| 100 | F. Diehl & Son, crushed stone and hay | 492.56 |
| 101 | Robinson & Jones Co., hay and grain, brick | 82.33 |
| 102 | J. W. Doon & Son, grain and cement | 53.46 |
| 103 | W. J. Burke, blacksmithing and repairs | 17.75 |
| 104 | A. G. Brewer, repairs | 1.25 |
| 105 | J. J. Walker, blacksmithing | 2.60 |
| 106 | William B. Pratt, repairs | 16.15 |
| 107 | John Carey & Son, blacksmithing | 22.50 |
| 108 | Atlantic Tea Co., supplies | .25 |
| 109 | Pierse Butler, repairs | 6.57 |
| 110 | Natick Sewer Dept., pipe | 25.65 |
| 111 | O. Woods & Co., lumber | 11.13 |
| 112 | Union Lumber Co., coal and lumber | 15.96 |
| 113 | The Good Roads Mach. Co., supplies | 1.08 |
| 114 | Howe & Co., express | .15 |
| 115 | George Waterhouse, labor | 13.90 |

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| 116 | William J. Oakes, pay roll | 281.53 |
| 117 | J. Loring, horse feed | 12.25 |
| 118 | William J. Oakes, freight | .25 |
| 119 | N. O. Goulding, supplies | 1.05 |
| 120 | William J. Oakes, pay roll | 317.42 |
| 121 | William J. Oakes, pay roll | 217.23 |
| 122 | New England Tel. & Tel. Co. | 6.27 |
| 123 | G. W. Travis, hay | 27.38 |
| 124 | Headley Good Roads Co., oil | 18.59 |
| 125 | William J. Oakes, freight on oil | 4.48 |
| 126 | Joseph T. Wignot, cement work High School | 565.00 |
| 127 | William J. Oakes, pay roll | 218.88 |
| 128 | J. W. Doon & Son, hay grain, cement | 64.60 |
| 129 | F. Diehl & Son, crushed stone, hay and grain | 61.01 |
| 130 | W. A. Simmons, blacksmithing | 8.55 |
| 131 | J. D. Macewen, repairing | 24.40 |
| 132 | John Carey, blacksmithing | 6.45 |
| 133 | W. J. Burke, blacksmithing | 8.00 |
| 134 | Robinson & Jones, brick, pipe and grain | 381.30 |
| 135 | N. O. Goulding, nails | 2.40 |
| 136 | New England Tel. & Tel. Co.; | 2.96 |
| 137 | O. Woods & Co., lumber | 28.11 |
| 138 | Coates Clipper Mfg. Co., clipper | 4.56 |
| 139 | William J. Oakes, pay roll | 223.39 |
| 140 | John B. Moyse, repairs, supplies | 10.85 |
| 141 | Union Lumber Co., coal | 6.36 |
| 142 | Framingham Construction, patching sidewalks | 1076.22 |
| 143 | Pierse Butler, repairs | 22.02 |
| 144 | Buffalo Steam Roller Co., roller oil | 5.75 |
| 145 | John Craig, Insurance | 163.93 |
| 146 | George Fairbanks, printing | 2.00 |
| 147 | Standard Oil Co., road oil | 952.22 |
| 148 | W. W. Wight, surveying | 46.00 |
| 149 | William J. Oakes, pay roll | 317.00 |
| 150 | William J. Oakes, pay roll | 319.82 |

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| 151 | The Suburban Press, printing | 1.25 |
| 152 | William J. Oakes, pay roll | 302.07 |
| 153 | J. J. Walker, sharpening picks | 1.70 |
| 154 | Natick Sewer Dept., manhole and frame | 8.75 |
| 155 | J. W. Doon & Son, coal, grain and cement | 49.73 |
| 156 | William J. Oakes, pay roll | 304.01 |
| 157 | Fiske & Co., supplies | 32.29 |
| 158 | J. E. Wight, hay | 109.10 |
| 159 | F. Diehl & Son, hay and grain | 48.06 |
| 160 | New England Tel. & Tel. Co., | 3.13 |
| 161 | Pierse Butler, repairs | 11.30 |
| 162 | Robinson & Jones Co., brick and grain | 59.35 |
| 163 | O. Woods & Co., lumber | 3.64 |
| 164 | Louis Mordis, irons and pipe | 6.00 |
| 165 | H. I. Dallman Co., brooms | 2.10 |
| 166 | N. O. Goulding, supplies | 2.82 |
| 167 | Union Lumber Co. coal | 2.94 |
| 168 | William J. Oakes, express oil | 2.42 |
| 169 | George F. Waterhouse, labor | 20.87 |
| 170 | F. Diehl & Son, crushed stone | 722.56 |
| 171 | William J. Oakes, pay roll | 306.26 |
| 172 | William J. Oakes, pay roll | 256.77 |
| 173 | Thomas O'Connell, raising steam roller | 11.00 |
| 174 | Loren Leavitt, labor | 11.25 |
| 175 | Joseph T. Wignot, cement work | 100.00 |
| 176 | William J. Oakes, pay roll | 280.96 |
| 177 | William J. Burke, blacksmithing | 15.80 |
| 178 | J. W. Doon & Son, hay, grain, coal and cement | 75.61 |
| 179 | P. H. Buckley, oil | 5.29 |
| 180 | Joseph T. Wignot, cement work | 100.00 |
| 181 | Joseph T. Wignot, cement work | 73.00 |
| 182 | William J. Oakes, pay roll | 209.50 |
| 183 | William A. Simmons, blacksmithing | 7.40 |
| 184 | J. D. Macewen, repairs | 6.90 |
| 185 | Fiske Corporation, supplies | 1.35 |

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| 186 | J. J. Walker, sharpening picks | 3.05 |
| 187 | Buffalo Steam Roller, supplies | .60 |
| 188 | Union Lumber Co., coal lumber | 10.95 |
| 189 | O. Woods & Co., lumber | 67.44 |
| 190 | F. Diehl & Son, pipe | 26.60 |
| 191 | F. Diehl & Son, hay and grain | 50.36 |
| 192 | Robinson & Jones Co., brick, pipe, cement, grain | 118.18 |
| 193 | F. Diehl & Son, crushed stone | 727.80 |
| 194 | Framingham Const. Co., cement work | 173.09 |
| 194 | William J. Oakes, pay roll | 214.00 |
| 196 | Joseph T. Wignot, cement work | 129.35 |
| 197 | Joseph T. Wignot, cement work | 300.03 |
| 198 | Morris & Mulqueeney, cement work | 242.97 |
| 199 | Clinton Foundry Co., grates | 34.00 |
| 200 | William J. Oakes, pay roll | 180.25 |
| 201 | Natick Water Dept., water | 38.52 |
| 202 | Natick Water Dept., lowering water pipes | 3.95 |
| 203 | New England Tel. & Tel. Co. | 2.63 |
| 204 | The Good Roads Machine Co., Steam Flue Cleaner | 20.00 |
| 205 | Charles Parmenter, posts | 3.60 |
| 206 | William J. Oakes, pay roll | 223.58 |
| 207 | Framingham Construction Co., patching | 75.72 |
| 208 | William J. Oakes, pay roll | 202.48 |
| 209 | O. H. Burleigh & Co., insurance | 14.00 |
| 210 | Buffalo Steam Roller Co., supplies | 4.00 |
| 211 | Union Lumber Co., coal | 5.56 |
| 212 | N. O. Goulding, supplies | 2.72 |
| 213 | W. W. Wight, surveying | 78.00 |
| 214 | F. Diehl & Son, coal, grain, crushed stone | 104.59 |
| 215 | William J. Oakes, pay roll | 194.88 |
| 216 | Robinson, Jones & Co., grain | 38.70 |
| 217 | P. A. Dolan, medicine | 2.50 |
| 218 | J. W. Doon & Son, grain and coal | 15.59 |
| 219 | William J. Burke, blacksmithing | 8.20 |
| 220 | Pierse Butler, blacksmithing | 5.75 |

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| 221 | John B. Moyse, repairs and supplies | 12.15 |
| 222 | Atlantic Tea Co., lanterns | 2.40 |
| 223 | Framingham Tribune, printing proposals | 1.00 |
| 224 | D. J. Ferguson & Sons, stone covering for bridge | 9.50 |
| 225 | M. P. Haendler, gravel | 103.40 |
| 226 | William J. Oakes, pay roll | 187.00 |
| 227 | Fiske Corporation, steam roller supplies | 3.35 |
| 228 | Buffalo Steam Roller Co., supplies for roller | 7.37 |
| 229 | Standard Oil Co., road oil | 781.85 |
| 230 | Joseph T. Wignot, South Street bridge | 300.00 |
| 231 | William J. Oakes, pay roll | 162.27 |
| 232 | J. W. Robinson, M. D. V., services | 2.00 |
| 233 | New England Tel. & Tel. | 2.89 |
| 234 | Natick Water Dept., use of pump and blasting on Union Street | 5.40 |
| 235 | G. W. Travis, hay | 66.49 |
| 236 | Natick Water Dept., lowering water pipes | 8.15 |
| 237 | James Waterhouse, labor on catch basin | 5.70 |
| 238 | William J. Oakes, pay roll | 190.40 |
| 239 | Pierse Butler, blacksmithing | 2.10 |
| 240 | J. W. Doon & Son, hay, grain and coal | 84.11 |
| 241 | Fiske Corporation, supplies | 2.10 |
| 242 | O. Woods & Co., posts | 1.64 |
| 243 | Mrs. A. D. Fellows, gravel | 24.50 |
| 244 | Rev. A. A. Felch, gravel | 5.20 |
| 245 | George C. Fairbanks, proposals | 1.00 |
| 246 | Joseph T. Wignot, South Street bridge | 100.00 |
| 247 | William J. Oakes, pay roll | 190.41 |
| 248 | W. A. Simmons, blacksmithing | 17.40 |
| 249 | Robinson & Jones Co., cement, brick, hay and grain | 82.89 |
| 250 | Union Lumber Co., lumber | .42 |
| 251 | F. Diehl & Son, hay, grain and crushed stone, coal | 71.58 |
| 252 | L. L. Sellew, gravel | 48.30 |
| 253 | Milton E. Hall, cement work | 257.50 |
| 254 | William J. Oakes, pay roll | 244.39 |

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| 255 | Rev. M. F. Delaney, gravel | 10.25 |
| 256 | A. L. Thorpe, gravel | 6.30 |
| 257 | Morris & Mulqueeney, cement work | 80.00 |
| 258 | Geo. F. Waterhouse, labor on catch basins | 11.40 |
| 259 | Fiske Co., supplies | .98 |
| 260 | Standard Oil Co., road oil | 110.00 |
| 261 | Union Lumber Co., lumber | 12.67 |
| 262 | Framingham Construction & Supply Co., cover- ing Marion Street bridge | 322.67 |
| 263 | William J. Oakes, pay roll | 198.63 |
| 264 | F. Diehl & Son, pipe | 30.10 |
| 265 | Blickensderfer Typewriter Co., typewriter | 45.00 |
| 266 | John Connelly, cement work | 118.75 |
| 267 | William J. Oakes, pay roll | 242.54 |
| 268 | Wm. A. Simmons, blacksmithing | 8.55 |
| 269 | Wm. J. Burke, blacksmithing | 21.25 |
| 270 | Pierse Butler, repairs | 4.65 |
| 271 | John Carey & Sons, blacksmithing | 31.85 |
| 272 | William B. Pratt, blacksmithing | 15.25 |
| 273 | J. J. Walker, sharpening picks | 1.40 |
| 274 | John B. Moyse, repairs and supplies | 24.40 |
| 275 | J. F. Ullrich, supplies | 18.47 |
| 276 | Robinson & Jones Co., hay, brick, grain and cement | 86.63 |
| 277 | J. W. Doon & Sons, hay and grain | 31.93 |
| 278 | James E. Cooper, supplies | 1.84 |
| 279 | Ralph V. Morrill, insurance | 7.00 |
| 280 | Fairbanks & Sons, stationery | 2.95 |
| 281 | J. D. Macewen, repairs | .35 |
| 282 | N. O. Goulding, supplies | .65 |
| 283 | R. T. Barker, saw | 2.00 |
| 284 | Fiske Corporation, supplies* | 7.56 |
| 285 | W. W. Wight, surveying | 4.00 |
| 286 | Natick Water Dept., labor on hydrant | .40 |
| 287 | M. P. Haendler, gravel | 17.80 |

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| 288 | Isaac Damon, gravel | 12.75 |
| 289 | John R. Bolser, gravel | 21.25 |
| 290 | John T. Donnelly, ashes | 11.90 |
| 291 | P. H. Buckley & Co., oil | .82 |
| 292 | John W. Robinson, M. D. V., gravel | 32.50 |
| 293 | Joseph T. Wignot, teaming | 24.00 |
| 294 | D. J. Ferguson & Sons, ploughing | 54.00 |
| 295 | J. W. King, tools | 6.15 |
| 296 | O. Woods & Co., lumber | 30.94 |
| 297 | F. Diehl & Sons, crushed stone and grain | 25.66 |
| 298 | Frank F. Pulsifer, carpenter work | 3.38 |
| 299 | Atlantic Tea Co., lanterns | 5.05 |
| 300 | Frank B. Twitchell, supplies | 1.20 |
| 301 | Ralph Brown, ploughing | 1.75 |
| 302 | John M. Adams, ploughing | 10.00 |
| 303 | D. J. Ferguson & Sons, ploughing and sand | 16.50 |
| 304 | Milton E. Hall, teaming | 28.50 |
| 305 | Estate E. H. Walcott, rent of shed | 40.00 |
| 306 | Milton E. Hall, cement work | 41.22 |
| 307 | William J. Oakes, express and car fare | 6.73 |
| 308 | The Good Roads Machine Co., snow plough | 65.00 |
| 309 | New England Tel. & Tel. Co. | 3.06 |
| 310 | Natick Water Dept., water | 505.98 |
| 311 | J. A. Hill, ploughing snow | 2.50 |
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| | | \$25,353.96 |

Special Appropriations

| | | | |
|----------------------|---------------|----------|----------|
| Roxbury Avenue | Appropriation | | \$300.00 |
| Extra labor | | \$274.91 | |
| Surveying | | 9.00 | |
| Lowering water pipes | | 12.00 | |
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| | Unexpended | | \$4.09 |
| West Central Street | Appropriation | | \$300.00 |
| Extra labor | | \$46.14 | |
| Crushed stone | | 30.90 | |
| Patching, etc. | | 43.28 | |
| Oiling | | 110.00 | |
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| | Unexpended | | \$69.68 |
| East Central Street | Appropriation | | \$600.00 |
| Extra labor | | \$105.75 | |
| Fuel road roller | | 28.47 | |
| Crushed stone | | 469.56 | |
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| | | \$603.78 | |
| Credit | | 4.00 | |
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| | Unexpended | | \$0.22 |

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| South Main Street | Appropriation | \$2,500.00 |
| Extra labor | \$825.91 | |
| Crushed stone | 1,364.13 | |
| Surveying | 40.50 | |
| Mason | 20.87 | |
| Labor-raising roller | 11.00 | |
| Curbing | 9.50 | |
| Oil | 5.29 | |
| Cement | 5.70 | |
| Brick | 5.50 | |
| Pipe | 53.68 | |
| Coal | 36.40 | |
| Engineer on roller | 117.00 | |
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| | | \$2,495.48 |
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| Unexpended | | \$4.52 |
| Cochituate Street Bridge | Appropriation | \$178.25 |
| Concrete work | | \$173.09 |
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| Unexpended | | \$5.16 |
| Marion Street Bridge | Appropriation | \$361.00 |
| Contract work | \$322.67 | |
| Watchman | 29.25 | |
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| | | \$351.92 |
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| Unexpended | | \$9.08 |
| South Street Bridge | Appropriation | \$400.00 |
| Contract work | 350.00 | |
| Extra Wall | 50.00 | |
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| | | \$400.00 |
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| Pegan Brook | Appropriation | \$300.00 |
| Extra labor | 116.46 | |
| Lumber | 2.10 | |
| Surveying | 7.50 | |
| Sharpening picks | 1.35 | |

 127.41

Unexpended

\$172.59

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| Morse Street Drain | Appropriation | \$560.00 |
| Extra labor | \$217.18 | |
| Pipe | 336.00 | |
| Surveying | 15.00 | |
| Lowering water pipes | 39.96 | |

 \$608.14

Credits:

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| Pipe returned | \$12.32 |
| Miscellaneous | 36.00 |

 48.32

 559.82

Unexpended

\$0.18

GRANOLITHIC WALKS

Washington Street walk:

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| Appropriation | \$200.00 |
| Cement work, contract | \$200.00 |
| Surveying | 3.00 |

 \$203.00

Winnemay Street: Appropriation

\$320.00

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| Cement work, contract | \$300.03 |
| Surveying | 6.00 |

 \$306.03

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| Pond Street: | Appropriation | | \$121.25 |
| | Cement work, contract | \$129.35 | |
| | Surveying | 8.00 | |
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| | | | \$137.35 |
| Pond Street and Forest Avenue: | Appropriation | | \$265.00 |
| | Cement work, contract | \$242.97 | |
| | Surveying | 2.00 | |
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| | | | \$244.97 |
| Marion Street: | Appropriation | | \$193.75 |
| | Cement work, contract | \$118.75 | |
| | Surveying | 6.00 | |
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| | | | \$124.75 |
| Pond Street: | Appropriation | | \$230.00 |
| | Cement work, contract | \$257.50 | |
| | Surveying | 6.50 | |
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| | | | \$264.00 |
| | Appropriations | \$1,330.00 | |
| | Expended | 1,280.10 | |
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| | Unexpended balance | \$49.90 | |
| Court Street: | Appropriation | | \$80.00 |
| | Cement work, contract | \$73.00 | |
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| | Unexpended | | \$7.00 |
| High School sidewalk: | Appropriation | | \$575.00 |
| | Concrete work, contract | \$565.00 | |
| | Surveying | 6.00 | |
| | Proposals | 1.00 | |
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| | | | 572.00 |
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| | Unexpended | | \$3.00 |

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| Worcester Street: | Appropriation | \$150.00 |
| Labor,* extra | | \$149.65 |

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| Unexpended | \$.35 |
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| Repairing sidewalks, catch basins, culverts, fences and bridges: | Appropriation | \$2,000.00 |
| Patching sidewalks | \$1,108.66 | |
| Florence Street drain | 314.88 | |
| Worcester Street bridge | 27.65 | |
| North Main Street bridge | 80.00 | |
| Willow Street bridge | 77.69 | |
| Pipe | 84.43 | |
| Labor | 64.02 | |
| Lumber | 74.03 | |
| Brick | 50.90 | |
| Mason | 40.40 | |
| Surveying | 17.00 | |
| Concrete walk | 41.22 | |
| Oil | 3.00 | |
| Cement | 4.00 | |
| Nails | 2.19 | |
| Frame and cover | 8.75 | |

1,998.82

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| Unexpended | \$1.18 |
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Special oiling paid for in full by private parties outside of appropriation:

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| Daniel Lucey, Park Avenue, 907 square yds. | \$13.61 |
| B. C. Rogers, Highland Street, 1400 square yds. | 21.00 |
| John Hopewell, Everett Street. 2433 square yds. | 36.50 |
| M. P. Haendler, Pleasant Street, 667 square yds. | 10.01 |
| Walter Robinson, Willow Street, 711 square yds. | 10.67 |
| Carl S. Stillman, South Street, 2181 square yds. | 32.72 |

STATEMENT OF DRIVER'S LABOR.

| | Appropriation | Expended |
|---|---------------|------------------------|
| Florence Street drain | \$4,188.94 | \$49.50 |
| Morse Street drain | | 35.00 |
| Pegan brook | | 27.00 |
| Paving | | 9.00 |
| Repairing bridges, culverts, etc. | | 159.75 |
| Worcester Street bridges | | 13.50 |
| Resurfacing sidewalks | | 321.00 |
| Setting curbing | | 11.25 |
| Street cleaning | | 947.01 |
| Patching | | 310.00 |
| Sprinkling streets | | 27.00 |
| Sanding oiled streets | | 40.50 |
| Worcester Street, Wellesley Park | | 69.75 |
| North Main Street, from Worcester Street to Wayland line | | 256.50 |
| South Main Street, macadam | | 351.00 |
| Roxbury Avenue | | 182.50 |
| Everett Street | | 139.50 |
| Different streets graveled and repaired | | 545.21 |
| Sanding sidewalks | | 92.25 |
| Carting sand to yard | | 52.25 |
| East and West Central Streets | | 156.29 |
| Ploughing snow | | 324.00 |
| Attending fires | | 56.25 |
| Total | | <hr/> \$4,176.01 <hr/> |
| Unexpended balance | | \$12.93 |

STREETS GRAVELED.

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| North Main Street. resurfaced | 5400x26 |
| North Main Street. graveled | 1920x20 |
| Kansas Street, " | 432x12 |
| Speen Street " | 864x12 |

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| Pond Street | Graveled | 210x12 |
| Worcester Street | " | 900x12 |
| Park Avenue | " | 348x12 |
| South Avenue | " | 75x15 |
| Marion Street | " | 1239x12 |
| North Avenue | " | 216x17 |
| Bacon Street | " | 1055x12 |
| Worcester Street | " | 1512x15 |
| Walnut Street | " | 735x15 |
| Florence Street | " | 600x10 |
| Harvard Street | " | 300x15 |
| Sawin Street | " | 411x12 |
| Washington Avenue | " | 200x12 |
| County Road | " | 150x12 |
| Lincoln Street Ext. | " | 1620x12 |
| Chester Street | " | 270x12 |
| Everett Street | " | 1200x12 |
| Woodland Street | " | 125x12 |
| Morse Street | " | 255x12 |
| Park Street | " | 273x18 |
| Everett Street | " | 1410x15 |
| Glen Street | " | 960x14 |
| Eliot Street | " | 80x18 |
| Union Street | " | 1276x15 |
| Middlesex Avenue | " | 950x15 |
| Roxbury Avenue | " | 550x21 |
| Forest Street | " | 219x15 |
| High Street | " | 576x18 |

SIDEWALKS GRAVELED AND RESURFACED.

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| North Main Street, | Graveled | 2424x6 |
| Chestnut Street | " | 984x4 |
| Worcester Street | " | 240x5 |
| Bacon Street | " | 252x5 |
| Maple Avenue | " | 372x5 |

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| Park Avenue | Graveled | 720x5 |
| Oakland Street | " | 264x5 |
| Pond Street | " | 384x5 |
| South Avenue | " | 126x5 |
| Marion Street | " | 444x5 |
| North Avenue | " | 100x6 |
| Washington Avenue | " | 1356x5 |
| Vale Street | " | 279x4 |
| Summer Street | " | 135x5 |
| Lincoln Street Ext. | " | 138x5 |
| South Main Street | " | 813x5 |
| Morse Street | " | 150x5 |
| School Street | " | 519x5 |
| Park Street | " | 165x5 |
| High Street | " | 132x4 |
| Avon Street | " | 240x5 |
| Church Street | " | 111x5 |
| Common Street | " | 153x5 |
| Roxbury Avenue | " | 1000x5 |
| Glen Street | " | 310x5 |
| Phillips Street | " | 484x4½ |
| Leach Lane | " | 352x5½ |
| River Street | " | 200x5 |

Respectfully,

WILLIAM J. OAKES,

Highway Surveyor.

COMMITTEE ON IMPROVEMENT OF MAIN AND NORTH MAIN STREETS.

To the Citizens of Natick:—

Articles 25 and 52 of the Town Warrant of 1914 read as follows:

Article 25. To see if the town will vote to surface Main Street from the railroad bridges to the Common with some form of permanent pavement, under the provisions of Chapter 719 of the Acts of the year 1913, to appropriate money or authorize loans to pay for same, or otherwise act thereon.

Article 52. To see if the town will vote to resurface North Main Street from the railroad bridge to Washington Avenue, with macadam or other permanent pavement, under the provisions of Chapter 719 of the Acts of 1913, appropriate money to pay for same or otherwise act thereon.

Under these articles a committee consisting of Francis L. Sellew, John B. Leamy and Daniel A. Lucey was appointed to investigate the matter and report to a future town meeting.

The members of this committee have investigated the subject and would submit the following report.

An engineer was employed to make a survey of main Street and North Main Street as far as Washington Avenue. This survey was submitted to the engineers of the Massachusetts State

Highway Commission who investigated the present condition of the road and traffic conditions on the same.

At a conference of this committee and Mr. Pillsbury, division engineer of the Massachusetts Highway Commission, the matter was taken up in detail and the various kinds of road surfacing were discussed fully. It was finally concluded that, in view of the heavy traffic between the freight yards and Main Street bridge, a road surface of Bermudez Macadam would be advisable although the cost of the same would be somewhat in excess of Tar Macadam surfacing.

For purposes of estimate the streets were divided into three parts according to traffic conditions. These divisions and the estimate of cost of surfacing the same furnished by the Massachusetts Highway Commission were as follows:—

Section 1. From the Common to the Boston and Albany R. R. bridge.

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| Bermudez Macadam, penetration method | \$9,102.72 |
| Tar Macadam, penetration method | 7,687.57 |

Section 2. From Boston and Albany R. R. bridge to Charles Street.

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| Bermudez Macadam, penetration method | \$7,693.84 |
| Tar Macadam, penetration method | 6,549.29 |

Section 3. From Charles Street to end of present macadam.

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| Bermudez Macadam, penetration method | \$5,236.00 |
| Tar Macadam, penetrating method | 4,466.00 |

The advantage of Bermudez Macadam over Tar Macadam is that probably for several years Bermudez surface would require only very slight patching, whereas the Tar Macadam would have to receive practically annual surface treatment of tar.

In view of the high cost of this improvement and taking into consideration the present condition of the streets, this committee recommends that at the present time Section 2, only be surfaced with Bermudez Macadam and an article has been introduced into the Town Warrant of 1915 with this end in view.

This committee also earnestly recommends that an appro-

priation be made for the regrading and surfacing of Main Street, the same to be paid for out of the annual tax levy

The committee recommends that no improvement other than patching be made on Section 3 at this time.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCIS L. SELLEW,
JOHN B. LEAMY,
DANIEL A. LUCEY.

FORTY-FIRST ANNUAL REPORT

of the

BOARD OF WATER COMMISSIONERS

of the

TOWN OF NATICK

For the Year Ending December 31, 1914.

BOARD OF WATER COMMISSIONERS

GEORGE FRED WHITNEY, Chairman

HENRY ROBBINS, Clerk,

FRANK L. SELLEW

GEORGE W. TRAVIS, Superintendent

WM. LEAHEY, Assistant Superintendent

JOHN KEAYS, Engineer

S. W. VIAL, Assistant Engineer

Water Commissioner's Report

To the inhabitants of the Town of Natick we respectfully submit the forty-first annual report for the year ending December 31, 1914.

The Board was organized as follows: George Fred Whitney, Chairman; Henry M. Robbins, Clerk.

Extensions the past year have been made in every instance where called for, and where appropriations would permit. We have authorized the extension of mains on thirty-one streets, or 8,995 feet. As these extensions are mostly new streets, we hope they will help develop these districts, and we believe they will be a source of good income to the department and town in the years to come.

For further information relating to the receipts and expenditures, we refer you to the detailed report of the Superintendent.

GEORGE FRED WHITNEY,
HENRY M. ROBBINS,
FRANK L. SELLEW

Financial Report

ORDERS DRAWN BY COMMISSIONERS

1914

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| Feb. | 12 | 1 | Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | \$176.61 |
| | | 2 | Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 170.37 |
| | | 3 | Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 179.64 |
| | | 4 | Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 188.67 |
| | | 5 | N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone service | 11.30 |
| | | 6 | Geo. W. Knowlton, packing | 42.99 |
| | | 7 | Sumner & Gerald, stops | 32.00 |
| | | 8 | Union Lumber Co., coal | 29.66 |
| | | 9 | Tenney Morse & Co., pipe | 10.53 |
| | | 10 | Union Water Meter Co., repairing meters | 16.45 |
| | | 11 | H. Mueller Mfg. Co., stops | 20.52 |
| | | 12 | Geo. W. Travis, sundry bills | 60.47 |
| March | 7 | 13 | Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 165.03 |
| | | 14 | Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 161.93 |
| | | 21 | Geo. W. Travis pay roll | 169.67 |
| | | 28 | Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 200.11 |
| April | 1 | 17 | Geo. W. Knowlton Rubber Co., pump valves | 38.02 |
| | | 18 | Geo. W. Travis, sundry bills | 57.34 |
| | 4 | 19 | Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 169.11 |
| | 11 | 20 | Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 192.71 |
| | 18 | 21 | Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 180.36 |
| | 25 | 22 | Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 171.64 |
| May | 2 | 23 | Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 211.49 |
| | | 6 | N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone service | 24.16 |
| | | 25 | Union Water Meter Co., repairings on meters | 23.87 |

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| | 26 | National Meter Co., repairs on meters | 11.18 |
| | 27 | Neptune Meter Co., meter fittings | 12.30 |
| | 28 | The Keniston Engineering Co., oil | 28.60 |
| | 29 | Joshua Baker, bale of rope | 13.32 |
| | 30 | Thomson Meter Co., meters and repairs on meters | 132.75 |
| | 31 | Fiske & Co., labor and mdse. | 122.43 |
| | 32 | Geo. W. Travis, sundry bills | 69.36 |
| 9 | 33 | Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 181.48 |
| 16 | 34 | Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 204.47 |
| 23 | 35 | Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 257.25 |
| 30 | 36 | Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 341.98 |
| June | 5 | 37 Edwin Farwell, insurance | 59.69 |
| | 38 | J. W. Doon & Son, screenings | 64.42 |
| | 39 | Harvey H. Whitney, insurance | 58.63 |
| | 40 | National Lead Co., lead | 84.17 |
| | 41 | Sumner & Gerald, Gorham stops | 73.34 |
| | 42 | Union Lumber Co., screening and coal | 176.84 |
| | 43 | Thomson Meter Co., meters | 260.00 |
| | 44 | Donaldson Iron Co., pipe | 1108.67 |
| | 45 | Tenney Morse & Co., fittings | 35.01 |
| | 46 | Union Water Meter Co., waste stops | 113.34 |
| | 47 | N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co. telephone service | 11.19 |
| | 48 | Geo. W. Travis, sundry bills under \$10 | 67.80 |
| | 6 | 49 Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 310.80 |
| | 13 | 50 Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 196.95 |
| | 20 | 51 Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 200.11 |
| | 27 | 52 Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 388.82 |
| July | 13 | 53 Boston & Albany R. R., rep's on r. r. track | 181.77 |
| | | 54 Underwood Furniture Co., awnings | 11.25 |
| | | 55 Keniston Engineering Co., oil | 18.20 |
| | | 56 Norwood Engineering Co., service boxes | 31.00 |
| | | 57 Tenney Morse & Co., pipe | 751.33 |
| | | 58 Fiske & Co., labor and mdse. | 70.27 |
| | | 59 Pittsburg Meter Co., valves | 103.20 |

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| | 60 | The Chapman Valve Co., valves | 32.38 |
| | 61 | Rensselaer Valve Co., valves | 322.30 |
| | 62 | N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone service | 14.91 |
| | 63 | Geo. W. Travis, sundry bills | 106.28 |
| | 4 64 | Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 395.35 |
| | 11 65 | Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 438.89 |
| | 18 66 | Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 254.60 |
| | 25 67 | Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 333.01 |
| Aug. | 1 68 | Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 516.31 |
| | 5 69 | N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone service | 10.74 |
| | 70 | H. H. Whitney, insurance | 205.85 |
| | 71 | Thomson Meter Co., meters | 240.00 |
| | 72 | F. W. Chesterton Co., waste | 11.56 |
| | 73 | Geo. C. Fairbanks, supplementaries | 15.20 |
| | 74 | Walworth Mfg. Co., corporation cock, nozzles | 193.04 |
| | 75 | Tenney Morse & Co., fittings and pipe | 38.20 |
| | 76 | National Lead Co., lead | 42.50 |
| | 77 | Hersey Mfg. Co., meter boxes and connection | 61.25 |
| | 78 | Fiske & Co., labor and mdse. | 49.70 |
| | 79 | Geo. W. Travis, sundry bills | 34.17 |
| | 8 80 | Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 493.55 |
| | 15 81 | Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 183.47 |
| | 22 82 | Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 203.83 |
| | 29 83 | Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 283.28 |
| Sept. | 2 84 | N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone service | 13.42 |
| | 85 | Norwood Engineering Co., service boxes | 78.00 |
| | 86 | The Keniston Engineering Co., oil | 28.60 |
| | 87 | Thomson Meter Co., repairs on meters | 13.08 |
| | 88 | Fiske & Co., labor and mdse. | 56.90 |
| | 89 | Sumner & Gerald, stops | 133.33 |
| | 90 | Natick Gas Light Co., coal | 53.73 |
| | 91 | Geo. W. Travis, sundry bills | 71.59 |
| | 5 92 | Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 284.70 |

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| | 12 | 93 | Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 239.41 |
| | 19 | 94 | Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 201.98 |
| | 26 | 95 | Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 200.11 |
| Oct. | 3 | 96 | Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 215.11 |
| | 1 | 97 | H. Cooney, screenings | 107.12 |
| | | 98 | Union Lumber Co., screenings and coal | 47.65 |
| | | 99 | Thomson Meter Co., meters | 295.00 |
| Sept. | 30 | 100 | Geo. W. Travis, sundry bills | 42.02 |
| Oct. | 10 | 101 | Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 190.56 |
| | 17 | 102 | Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 207.26 |
| | 24 | 103 | Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 468.20 |
| | 31 | 104 | Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 304.23 |
| Nov. | 11 | 105 | N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone service | 27.18 |
| | | 106 | Cotton & Gould, cash book | 16.30 |
| | | 107 | Lead Lined Iron Pipe Co., pipe | 88.83 |
| | | 108 | W. S. Daniels, carting pipe | 111.00 |
| | | 109 | Fiske & Co., mdse. | 51.16 |
| | | 110 | Robinson & Jones Co., coal | 16.90 |
| | | 111 | Union Lumber Co., coal and lumber | 32.51 |
| | | 112 | Harvey H. Whitney, insurance | 24.25 |
| | | 113 | Tenney Morse & Co., pipe and fittings | 337.80 |
| | | 114 | H. Mueller Mfg. Co., sillcocks and fittings | 131.99 |
| | | 115 | E. Farwell & Son, insurance | 48.22 |
| | | 116 | Geo. W. Travis, sundry bills | 61.29 |
| | 7 | 117 | Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 193.36 |
| | 14 | 118 | Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 201.70 |
| | 21 | 119 | Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 182.10 |
| | 28 | 120 | Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 275.99 |
| Dec. | 2 | 121 | Thomson Meter Co., repairs on meters | 22.99 |
| | | 122 | N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone service | 13.23 |
| | | 123 | Rensselaer Mfg. Co., valves and hydrants | 266.70 |

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| 124 | Tenney Morse & Co., fittings | 92.32 |
| 125 | Union Lumber Co., coal | 140.76 |
| 126 | Geo. W. Travis, sundry bills | 69.04 |
| 5 127 | Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 262.26 |
| 12 128 | Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 207.26 |
| 17 129 | Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 206.80 |
| 26 130 | Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 189.86 |
| 31 131 | Geo. W. Travis, pay roll | 172.29 |
| 132 | Wm. B. Pratt, blacksmithing | 18.55 |
| 133 | John Carey & Sons blacksmithing | 20.40 |
| 134 | Union Water Meter Co., meters and stops. | 26.43 |
| 135 | The Fiske Corporation, labor and mdse. | 96.51 |
| 136 | N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone service | 13.00 |
| 137 | Tenney Morse & Co., pipe | 160.78 |
| 138 | Thomson Meter Co., meters | 210.00 |
| 139 | National Lead Co., lead | 84.88 |
| 140 | Natick Gas Co., gas | 5.92 |
| 141 | Geo. W. Travis, sundry bills | 89.39 |
| 142 | Leonard Morse Hospital, office rent | 150.00 |
| 143 | Frank L. Sellew, services as com- missioner | 50.00 |
| 144 | Geo. Fred Whitney, services as commissioner | 50.00 |
| 145 | Henry M. Robbins, services as commissioner | 50.00 |
| 146 | Robinson & Jones Co. | 239.76 |
| 147 | Town of Natick, Treasurer, H. M. Ferguson, interest | 5,363.00 |
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| | | \$26,311.24 |

Approved

THOMAS J. SHEA,

Auditor.

Superintendent's Report

To the Board of Commissioners and Citizens:

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit the forty-first annual report of the Natick Water Department for the year ending December 31, 1914.

The pumpage this year has exceeded all other years since the works were completed, there having been pumped in eleven months this year 209,505,942 gallons against 206,323,407 gallons in twelve months in 1913. This is due to the extra dry season and extra services added during the year which were ninety-five.

There were one hundred and thirteen meters added the past year and I recommend that all services be metered as soon as possible.

The extensions made this year I feel will be a source of income to this department in later years as well as being the greatest help to develop the sections of our town where they were laid.

For further details, I refer you to the following pages of my report.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE W. TRAVIS.

Superintendent.

Summary of Receipts and Expenditures from Feb. 1, 1914 to Jan. 1, 1915.

RECEIPTS

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|---|-------------------|
| Schedule, water bills, | \$5,591.81 |
| Semi-annual meter rates | 12,296.42 |
| Quarterly meter rates | 6,477.93 |
| Service pipe and repairs | 3,699.49 |
| Payments on meters | 962.66 |
| Summons, sealings and shutting offs | 98.20 |
| Received from Treasurer to cover extensions | 5,000.00 |
| | <hr/> \$34,126.51 |

EXPENDITURES

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| Street mains, gates and hydrants | \$5,575.21 |
| Service pipes and meters | 6,030.67 |
| General repairs on mains, gates and hydrants | 968.25 |
| Running expenses outside of pumping station | 5,129.67 |
| Running expenses at pumping station | 3,244.44 |
| Interest on bonds and notes | 5,363.00 |
| | <hr/> \$26,311.24 |

COST OF CONSTRUCTION

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| To Feb. 1, 1914 | \$499,334.27 |
| Street mains, gates and hydrants to Jan. 1, 1915, | 5,575.21 |
| Service pipes, repairs and meters, | 6,030.67 |
| | <hr/> \$510,940.15 |
| Less cash received for services, meters and repairs, | 4,662.15 |
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| Cost of works to Jan. 1, 1915 | \$506,278.00 |
| Bills receivable to Jan. 1, 1915 | \$12,959.77 |
| Total bonds and notes against the Water Department | 156,600.00 |

EXTENSION OF MAIN PIPES, GATES AND HYDRANTS TO JANUARY 1, 1915

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| Pond Street | | |
| | 1 6 inch gate | \$ 25.70 |
| Pitts Street, 250 ft. | 2 inch pipe | |
| | 1 2 inch gate | 154.09 |
| Fiske Lane, 170 ft. | 2 inch pipe | 65.90 |
| Oak Street, 262 ft. | 6 inch pipe | |
| | 1 6 inch gate | 215.82 |
| Worcester Street, 328 ft. | 6 inch pipe | |
| | 1 6 inch gate | 296.89 |
| Elmwood Avenue, 180 ft. | 6 inch pipe | 136.49 |
| Allen Street, 350 ft. | 6 inch pipe | |
| | 1 6 inch gate | 286.28 |
| Westwood Road, 416 ft. | 2 inch pipe | |
| | 2 2 inch gates | 209.67 |
| Maple Road, 683 ft. | 2 inch pipe | |
| | 2 2 inch gates | 347.82 |
| Oak Street, 134 ft. | 2 inch pipe | 64.90 |
| Upland Road, 461 ft. | 2 inch pipe | |
| | 1 2 inch gate | 99.61 |
| Whittier Road, 150 ft. | 2 inch pipe | |
| | 1 2 inch gate | 87.20 |
| Wellesley Avenue, 576 ft. | 6 inch pipe | |
| | 6 12 ft. of 2 inch pipe | |
| | 1 6 inch gate | |
| | 1 hydrant | 944.27 |
| West Central Street | | |
| | 1 6 inch gate | 14.50 |
| Farwell Street, 190 ft. | 2 inch pipe | 95.90 |
| Hill Crest Avenue, 151 ft. | 2 inch pipe | |
| | 1 2 inch gate | 105.44 |
| Union Street, 170 ft. | 6 inch pipe | 332.40 |
| Wellesley Road, 250 ft. | 6 inch pipe | |
| | 1 6 inch gate | 206.91 |

| | |
|---|------------|
| East Central Street, 1 hydrant | 77.21 |
| Connecticut Avenue, 723 ft. 2 inch pipe | 276.62 |
| Maine Avenue, 508 ft. 2 inch pipe | |
| 2 inch Chapman gate | 193.85 |
| Massachusetts Avenue, 537 ft. 2 inch pipe | |
| 2 inch Rev. gate | 215.59 |
| New Hampshire Avenue, 162 ft. 2 inch pipe | |
| 2 inch gate | 72.25 |
| Vermont Avenue, 165 ft. 2 inch pipe | |
| 2 inch gate | 72.14 |
| Pitts Street, 140 ft. 2 inch pipe | 41.09 |
| Over Hill Road, 225 ft. 6 inch pipe | |
| 6 inch gate | 202.72 |
| Hill Crest Avenue, 194 ft. 2 inch pipe | 100.97 |
| Lincoln Street, 160 ft. 2 inch pipe | 65.91 |
| Madison Street, 188 ft. 2 inch pipe | |
| 2 inch gate | 85.03 |
| Grant Street, 1 hydrant | 72.79 |
| Parkman Street, 260 ft. 6 inch pipe | 272.81 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$5,438.77 |

Of this amount \$5,000.00 was borrowed and the balance taken from the earnings.

MILES OF PIPE FROM 3-4 INCH TO 18 INCH

| | Miles | Feet |
|------------------------------|-------|-------|
| Reported to January 31, 1914 | 52 | 4,699 |
| Additional 1914 | | 8,595 |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| | 54 | 2,734 |

LEAKS ON MAINS IN 1914.

| | |
|------------------------------|----|
| Caused by defective hydrants | 4 |
| " " defective pipe | 10 |
| " " defective joints | 5 |

| | |
|------------------------------|-------|
| Caused by W. F. Barker | 1 |
| “ “ Hanscom Construction Co. | 1 |
| | <hr/> |
| | 21 |

SERVICE LEAKS

| | |
|--------------------------------|-------|
| Caused by defective goosenecks | 5 |
| “ “ “ stops | 4 |
| “ “ “ pipe | 7 |
| “ “ “ corporation | 3 |
| | <hr/> |
| | 19 |

SERVICE PIPE

| | |
|-----------------------------|-------|
| Reported to January 1, 1914 | 2,362 |
| Reported to January 1, 1915 | 95 |
| | <hr/> |
| | 2,457 |
| Discontinued | 4 |
| | <hr/> |
| Total | 2,453 |

Summary of Statistics

For the year ending Dec. 31, 1915.

In form recommended by the New England Water Works Association

NATICK, MIDDLESEX CO., MASS.

GENERAL STATISTICS

Population by Census of 1914, 10,967.

Date of construction, 1874.

By whom owned, Town of Natick.

Source of Supply, Covered Well.

Mode of Supply (whether gravity or pumping), Pumping.

PUMPING STATISTICS

1. Builders of Pumping Machinery, Barr Pumping Eng. Co.
2. Description of fuel used: (a) Kind, ; (b) Brand of coal, Bituminous and Anthracite; (c) Average price of coal per gross ton, delivered, \$5.15 and \$2.35; (d) Percentage of ash, 12.3 per cent; (e) Wood, price per cord
3. Coal consumed for the year, 506,316 lbs.
4. Total pumpage for the year, 209,505,942 gallons (without allowance for slip.
5. Average static head against which pumps work, 178 feet.
6. Average dynamic head against which pumps work, 203 feet.
7. Number of gallons pumped per pound of equivalent coal (5),
No. 1 Engine=429.3 gals., No. 2 Engine=288.8 gals.
8. Duty=gallons pumped (6) \times 8.34 (lbs.) \times 100 \times dynamic head (8)—Eng. 1=72,673,308.

Total fuel consumed (5).

Cost of pumping, figured on pumping station expenses, viz., \$

9. Per million gallons pumped, \$15.08 Plus.

BALANCE BROUGHT FORWARD

RECEIPTS

| | | | |
|-----|-----------------------------|------------|------------|
| (a) | From ordinary (maintenance) | | |
| | receipts, | \$4,760.35 | |
| (b) | From extraordinary receipts | | |
| | (bonds, etc.) | \$5,000.00 | |
| | Total | <hr/> | \$9,760.35 |

FROM WATER RATES

| | | | |
|----|----------------------|------------|-------------|
| A. | Fixture rates, | \$5,591.81 | |
| B. | Meter rates | 18,774.35 | |
| C. | Total from consumers | <hr/> | \$24,366.16 |

WATER WORKS MAINTENANCE

EXPENDITURES

| | | | |
|----|------------------------------------|------------|-------------|
| AA | Operation (management and repairs) | | |
| CC | Total maintenance, | \$9,342.36 | |
| DD | Interest on bonds, | 5,363.90 | |
| | (CC+DD) | | \$14,706.36 |

WATER WORKS CONSTRUCTION

| | | | |
|----|---|------------|----------------|
| GG | Extension of mains | \$5,575.21 | |
| HH | Extension of services | 6,030.67 | |
| KK | Total construction | | 11,605.88 |
| | Total balance | | <hr/> 7,815.27 |
| N | Total | | \$34,126.51 |
| | Disposition of balance \$7,815.27 to sinking fund | | |
| O | Net cost of work to date | | \$506,278.00 |
| P | Bonded debt at date | | 156,600.00 |

STATISTICS OF CONSUMPTION OF WATER

1. Estimated total population at date, 10,967.
2. Total consumption for the year, 209,505.942 gallons.
3. Average daily consumption, 573,988 gallons.
4. Gallons per day to each inhabitant, 52.
5. Cost of supplying water, per million gallons, figured on total maintenance (item CC , \$44.00+
6. Total cost of supplying water, per million gallons, figured on total maintenance + interest on bonds, \$70.19+

STATISTICS RELATING TO DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM

MAINS

1. Kind of pipe, C. I. and Cement Lined.
2. Sizes, from 1 inch to 18 inches.
3. Extended 8,595 feet during year.
4. Total now in use 5,402,734 ft.
5. Number of hydrants added during year (public and private)
4.
6. Number of hydrants (public and private) now in use, 231.
7. Number of blow-offs, 6.
8. Range of pressure on mains, 60 lbs. to 100 lbs.

SERVICES.

9. Kind of pipe, Galvanized Iron, Lead and Cement Lined.
10. Sizes, 3-4 inch to 4 inches.
11. Number of service taps added during year, 95.
12. Number now in use 2453.
13. Number of meters added, 113.
14. Number now in use, 1928.
15. Percentage of service metered, 85 plus.

NATICK WATER WORKS. ENGINEER'S REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1914. Pumping Record No. 1 (Barr) Engine

| MONTH | Hrs. and Min. Pumping | Gallons Pumped | FUEL USED FOR ALL PURPOSES POUNDS | | | | DUTY IN FOOT LBS. | | Gallons pumped per pound of Coal | Fuel Cost |
|---------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------|---------|----------------------|--|----------------------|--|--------------|
| | | | Soft Coal | Screen- ings | Total | Ash Dry Weight | Per 1,000 lbs. Steam | Per 100 lbs. Coal | | |
| | H. M. | | | | | | Pounds Engines, Jackets and Feed Pumps | | | |
| February 1914..... | 129 30 | 16,941,912 | 25,659 | 15,396 | 41,055 | 5,046 | 279,000 | 102,806,437 | 412.7 | \$72.48 |
| March "..... | 133 40 | 18,011,224 | 27,220 | 16,332 | 43,552 | 5,288 | 297,500 | 102,498,697 | 413.6 | 76.80 |
| April "..... | 124 35 | 16,582,690 | 24,666 | 14,800 | 39,466 | 4,752 | 272,250 | 103,121,491 | 420.2 | 69.58 |
| May "..... | 143 55 | 19,452,289 | 27,905 | 16,743 | 44,648 | 5,002 | 322,250 | 101,948,519 | 435.7 | 83.40 |
| June "..... | 176 30 | 23,825,608 | 33,500 | 20,100 | 53,600 | 6,315 | 393,000 | 102,693,264 | 444.6 | 98.82 |
| July "..... | 140 45 | 18,917,633 | 28,137 | 16,883 | 45,020 | 7,219 | 313,500 | 102,162,491 | 420.3 | 85.90 |
| August "..... | 146 25 | 20,283,512 | 29,454 | 17,673 | 47,127 | 5,992 | 333,750 | 102,892,550 | 430.5 | 94.64 |
| September "..... | 153 50 | 20,918,416 | 29,132 | 17,478 | 46,610 | 5,781 | 344,375 | 102,519,917 | 448.8 | 85.77 |
| October "..... | 159 45 | 20,254,273 | 29,147 | 17,488 | 46,636 | 5,530 | 332,775 | 102,714,414 | 434.4 | 85.69 |
| November "..... | 21 35 | 2,727,581 | 3,805 | 2,283 | 6,088 | 715 | 43,875 | 105,250,124 | 448.1 | 11.27 |
| December "..... | 139 25 | 18,696,252 | 27,644 | 16,586 | 44,230 | 4,907 | 306,625 | 103,230,749 | 422.8 | 82.70 |
| Totals and averages | 1,469 55 | 196,611,390 | 296,269 | 171,762 | 468,032 | 56,547 | 3,238,900 | 102,771,625 | 429.3 | \$847.05 |

NATICK WATER WORKS. ENGINEER'S REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1914—Continued

No. 2 (Blake) Engine No. 2

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|----------------------|--------|------------|--------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|---------|
| November 1914. . . . | 157 45 | 12,894,552 | 30,177 | 18,107 | 48,284 | 5,335 | | | 288.8 | \$69.33 |
|----------------------|--------|------------|--------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|---------|

Total hours and minutes run—1,627 hours, 40 minutes, Water pumped—209,505,942 gallons. Coal used—506,316 pounds. Ash—61,882 pounds (12.3 per cent). Fuel cost \$936.38. Cylinder oil used —115 3-4 gallons. Engine oil—15 3-4 gallons. Grease—18 1-2 pounds. Waste—61 pounds. Soda Ash—144 pounds. Total water used at pumping station (by meter)—3,380,559 gallons—1.7 per cent of pumpage. Average static head—178 feet. Dynamic head—203 feet.

JOHN KEAYS, *Engineer*,

MAKE, SIZE AND NUMBER OF METERS IN USE, DEC. 31, 1914.

| MAKE | 5-8 in. | 3-4 in. | 1 in. | 1 1-2 in. | 2 in. | 3 in. | 4 in. | 6 in. | TOTAL |
|--------------|---------|---------|-------|-----------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Columbia | 133 | | | | | | | | 133 |
| Crown | 3 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 8 | 1 | | | 18 |
| Empire | 25 | 5 | 1 | | | | | | 31 |
| Hersey | 119 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 5 | | | 1 | 130 |
| Keystone | 39 | | | | | | | | 39 |
| King | 23 | | | | | | | | 23 |
| Lambert | 1133 | 28 | 18 | 5 | 21 | 7 | 3 | | 1215 |
| Nash | 181 | 3 | 3 | 1 | | | | | 188 |
| Niagara | 18 | | | | | | | | 18 |
| Thomson | 14 | 2 | | | 1 | | | | 17 |
| Thomson-Bee | | 1 | | | | | | | 1 |
| Trident | 92 | 1 | | | 3 | | | | 93 |
| Union-Rotary | 13 | 5 | 1 | | 2 | | 1 | 1 | 23 |
| Worthington | | | | 1 | | 1 | | | 2 |
| Discontinued | 1793 | 50 | 27 | 9 | 40 | 8 | 5 | 2 | 1934 |
| | 2 | 1 | | | 2 | 1 | | | 6 |
| | 1791 | 49 | 27 | 9 | 38 | 7 | 5 | 2 | 1928 |

SCHEDULE OF PIPE, GATES, STANDPIPES AND HYDRANTS, TO JANUARY 1, 1915

| SIZES | LENGTH IN FEET | | | | | | | | | | NUMBER OF GATES | | | | | | | | | |
|---------------------|-------------------------|--------|--------|-------|-------|--------|-------|------------------------|------------------|---------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------------|------------------|-------|--|
| | 18 in. | 12 in. | 10 in. | 8 in. | 6 in. | 4 in. | 2 in. | 1 1-2 in. 1 1-4 in. | 1 in. 3-4 in. | 18 in. in. | 12 in. in. | 10 in. in. | 8 in. in. | 6 in. in. | 4 in. in. | 2 in. in. | 1 1-2 in. 1 1-4 in. | 1 in. 3-4 in. | | |
| | Reported to Feb. 1 1914 | 13870 | 9,500 | 8,990 | 12643 | 101462 | 92244 | 2875 | 452 | 1134 | 19 | 14 | 9 | 22 | 144 | 140 | 58 | 1 | 38 | |
| Pond Street | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |  |
| Pitts Street | | | | | | | | 250 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |  |
| Fiske Lane | | | | | | | | 170 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |  |
| Oak Street | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Worcester Street | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Elmwood Avenue | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Allen Street | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Parkman Street | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Westwood Road | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Maple Road | | | | | | | | 416 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |  |
| Oak Street | | | | | | | | 683 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |  |
| Upland Road | | | | | | | | 134 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |  |
| Whittier Road | | | | | | | | 461 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |  |
| Wellesley Avenue | | | | | | | | 150 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |  |
| West Central Street | | | | | | | | 612 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |  |
| Farwell Street | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Hill Crest Avenue | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Union Street | | | | | | | | 151 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |  |
| Wellesley Road | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

SCHEDULE OF PIPE GATES, STANDPIPES AND HYDRANTS TO JANUARY 1, 1915 — Continued

| SIZES | LENGTH IN FEET | | | | | | | NUMBER OF GATES | | | | | | | | | | Stand Pipes | Hydrants |
|---------------------------|----------------|--------|--------|-------|--------|-------|-------|--------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------------------------|----------------------|-------------|----------|
| | 18 in. | 12 in. | 10 in. | 8 in. | 6 in. | 4 in. | 2 in. | 1 1-4 in. 1 1-2 in. 3-4 in. | 18 in. | 12 in. | 10 in. | 8 in. | 6 in. | 4 in. | 2 in. | 1 1-4 in. 1 1-2 in. | 1 1-4 in. 3-4 in. | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Reported to Feb. 1, 1914 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| East Central Street..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Connecticut Avenue..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Maine Avenue..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | .. |
| Massachusetts Avenue..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| New Hampshire Avenue..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Vermont Avenue..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Pitts Street..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Overhill Road..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Hillcrest Avenue..... | | | | | 225 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Lincoln Street..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Madison Avenue..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Grant Street..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Discontinued..... | 13870 | 9500 | 8990 | 12643 | 104063 | 92244 | 8859 | 452 11344 | 19 14 | 9 22 | 153 | 140 | 70 | 1 | 38 | 11 | 231 | 1 | 231 |
| Total to Jan. 1, 1915 | 13870 | 9500 | 8990 | 12643 | 104063 | 92244 | 8806 | 452 11344 | 19 14 | 9 22 | 153 | 140 | 69 | 1 | 38 | 10 | 231 | 10 | 231 |

GEORGE. W. TRAVIS, Superintendent Naick Water Works.

EIGHTEENTH ANNUAL REPORT

of the

BOARD OF SEWER COMMISSIONERS

and

SUPERINTENDENT OF SEWER DEPARTMENT

of the

TOWN OF NATICK

For the Year Ending December 31, 1914.

Sewer Commissioners of Natick

M. J. DOHERTY, Chairman

HENRY M. ROBBINS

WM. M. TODD

P. F. HALLINAN, Superintendent

WILLIAM F. CRIBBS, Chief Engineer

CORNELIUS SULLIVAN, Assistant Engineer

REPORT OF SEWER COMMISSIONERS

To the inhabitants of the Town of Natick, we respectfully present the Eighteenth Annual Report of the Sewer Department for eleven months ending December 31, 1914.

The Board organized March 13, 1914. M. J. Doherty was chosen Chairman and Henry M. Robbins, Clerk.

The financial showing of the department is not what we anticipated owing to the closing of the books on December 31, as it deprives us of a large revenue that is collected in January.

The house of the Engineer which has been built about ten years and was very much in need of repair, both on the inside and outside, and has been repaired at an expense of \$232.29.

For a detailed account of receipts and expenditures we respectfully refer you to the Superintendent's report.

Orders were drawn for the following bills:

Order No.

| | | |
|----|-----------------------------------|--------|
| 1 | Pay roll | 115.89 |
| 2 | Pay roll | 101.56 |
| 3 | Pay roll | 79.61 |
| 4 | Pay roll | 79.66 |
| 5 | Pay roll | 79.61 |
| 6 | Pay roll | 84.11 |
| 7 | New England Tel. & Tel. Co. | 3.86 |
| 8 | Natick Gas Co. | 4.00 |
| 9 | P. F. Hallinan, use of team | 15.00 |
| 10 | Jenkins Bros., Globe valves | 15.35 |
| 11 | Curry Bros., sod ash | 3.33 |
| 12 | John Carey & Son, blacksmith work | 9.82 |

| | | |
|----|---|--------|
| 13 | Fiske & Co., supplies | 14.09 |
| 14 | Metropolitan Water & Sewer, use of steam drill | 17.00 |
| 15 | W. S. Daniels, teaming | 50.95 |
| 16 | Pierse Butler, blacksmith work | 9.15 |
| 17 | Thorp & Martin, cash book | 13.25 |
| 18 | Crosby Steam Gauge Co., repairing valves | 4.75 |
| 19 | Rebb Boiler Co., grate bars | 11.75 |
| 20 | Robinson & Jones Co., coal | 188.15 |
| 21 | Pay roll | 79.61 |
| 22 | Pay roll | 81.86 |
| 23 | Pay roll | 102.31 |
| 24 | P. F. Hallinan, use of team | 15.00 |
| 25 | Review Printing Co. | 4.50 |
| 26 | Fiske & Co., supplies | 6.82 |
| 27 | John J. Walker, land damages | 100.00 |
| 28 | J. W. Doon, coal and cement | 15.75 |
| 29 | O. Neal & Parker, Supt. Bond | 8.00 |
| 30 | Boston & Albany R. R., freight on pipe | 29.04 |
| 31 | W. M. Todd Co., supplies | 5.13 |
| 32 | Portland Stone Ware Co., car of pipe | 240.83 |
| 33 | New England Tel. & Tel. Co. | 3.16 |
| 34 | Natick Water Dept., water for station | 29.81 |
| 35 | Pay roll | 107.70 |
| 36 | Pay roll | 141.56 |
| 37 | Pay roll | 101.62 |
| 38 | Pay roll | 91.12 |
| 39 | Pay roll | 110.28 |
| 40 | Pay roll | 117.30 |
| 41 | J. W. Doon & Son, coal | 337.78 |
| 42 | P. F. Hallinan, team | 15.00 |
| 43 | Josiah Baker, jute | 10.08 |
| 44 | Natick Gas Co., | 1.50 |
| 45 | Howe & Co. | 1.00 |
| 46 | Joseph McCarthy, teaming | 2.50 |

| | | |
|----|--|--------|
| 47 | P. F. Hallinan, incidentals | 15.72 |
| 48 | J. W. Foot, teaming | 3.20 |
| 49 | Fiske & Co. | 43.40 |
| 50 | H. Muller & Co. | 3.75 |
| 51 | P. F. Hallinan, sundry bills | 7.25 |
| 52 | New England Tel. & Tel. Co. | 3.21 |
| 53 | D. W. Richardson, burlap | 2.50 |
| 54 | Curry Bros. Oils Co., diapraghms | 4.08 |
| 55 | Robinson & Jones Co., cement | 3.58 |
| 56 | Pay roll | 145.42 |
| 57 | Pay roll | 138.11 |
| 58 | Pay roll | 140.08 |
| 59 | George F. Hall, printing | 4.75 |
| 60 | John J. Ahern, shellac | 2.25 |
| 61 | E. J. Lizzott, teaming | 4.50 |
| 62 | W. H. Benway, teaming | 1.50 |
| 63 | P. F. Hallinan, use of team | 15.00 |
| 64 | New England Tel. & Tel. Co. | 3.50 |
| 65 | Walworth Mfg. Co. | 9.50 |
| 66 | Robinson & Jones Co., cement | 3.20 |
| 67 | J. W. Foot, teaming | 2.00 |
| 68 | J. A. McCarthy, teaming | 2.50 |
| 69 | Fiske & Co. | 2.20 |
| 70 | Boston & Albany R. R., freight on pipe | 26.32 |
| 71 | Harold L. Bond Co., sewer rods and wheel- barrows | 19.38 |
| 72 | Fairbanks Scale Co., repair parts | 2.05 |
| 73 | Fairbanks & Son, supplies | 1.65 |
| 74 | Pay roll | 234.83 |
| 75 | Pay roll | 248.80 |
| 76 | Pay roll | 248.83 |
| 77 | Pay roll | 222.74 |
| 78 | Pay roll | 126.40 |
| 79 | Pay roll | 181.96 |
| 80 | Pay roll | 182.31 |

| | | |
|-----|---|--------|
| 80½ | Pay roll | 159.33 |
| 81 | Curry Bros. Oils Co. | 8.52 |
| 82 | John Carey & Son, blacksmith work | 7.10 |
| 83 | J. W. Doon & Son, cement | 12.80 |
| 84 | Fiske & Co. supplies | 12.69 |
| 85 | W. S. Daniels, teaming | 17.25 |
| 86 | George H. Sampson, fuses | 2.80 |
| 87 | Thomas Fiske, insurance | 171.75 |
| 88 | John O. Kelly, insurance | 152.06 |
| 89 | Joseph McCarthy, teaming | 7.00 |
| 90 | Pierse Butler, blacksmith work | 2.35 |
| 91 | Gibby Foundry, manhole covers | 49.70 |
| 92 | J. W. Foot, teaming | 3.50 |
| 93 | W. H. Benway, teaming | 5.10 |
| 94 | Robinson & Jones Co., cement | 2.50 |
| 95 | E. J. Lizzott, teaming | 4.25 |
| 96 | Blake & Knowles, feed pump | 50.00 |
| 97 | Robert Callaghan, repairing cottage | 87.80 |
| 98 | W. F. Cribbs | 21.49 |
| 99 | Wm. M. Todd Co., putting new gutters on cottage and supplies | 36.67 |
| 100 | P. F. Hallinan, use of team 2 months | 30.00 |
| 101 | J. F. Ullrick, scythes | 4.40 |
| 102 | New England Tel. & Tel. | 5.25 |
| 103 | P F. Hallinan, incidentals | 19.50 |
| 104 | Chas. E. Kean, papering cottage | 27.33 |
| 105 | Union Lumber Co., coal | 266.55 |
| 106 | John Adams, wood | 8.00 |
| 107 | Geo. C. Fairbanks, printing | 10.00 |
| 108 | Pay roll | 121.45 |
| 109 | Pay roll | 109.46 |
| 110 | Callyhan & Rogers, painting cottage and setting glass | 57.00 |
| 111 | Pay roll | 117.14 |
| 112 | Pay roll | 112.08 |

| | | |
|-----|--|--------|
| 113 | Pay roll | 117.32 |
| 114 | Natick Water Dept. | 1.95 |
| 115 | New England Tel. & Tel. | 1.95 |
| 116 | Frank McMahon, team | 14.00 |
| 117 | A. W. Chesterton Co. | 7.08 |
| 118 | Keniston Engineering Co. | 14.00 |
| 119 | Portland Stone Ware Co., pipe | 197.60 |
| 120 | Shawmut Chemical Co. | 15.00 |
| 121 | Natick Water Dept., water for station and repairs | 47.46 |
| 122 | P. F. Hallinan, use of team | 15.00 |
| 123 | Pierse Buttler, blacksmith work | 2.45 |
| 124 | Pay roll | 128.21 |
| 125 | Pay roll | 152.58 |
| 126 | Pay roll | 146.77 |
| 127 | Pay roll | 146.73 |
| 128 | Pay roll | 163.50 |
| 129 | Pay roll | 141.06 |
| 130 | Pay roll | 118.08 |
| 131 | P. F. Hallinan, use of team | 15.00 |
| 132 | Joseph McCarthy, teaming | 2.85 |
| 133 | Natick Gas Co. | 2.50 |
| 134 | Robinson & Jones Co., brick and cement | 43.63 |
| 135 | Goetz Gasket & Packing Co., packing | .73 |
| 136 | Natick Water Dept. | 8.25 |
| 137 | P. H. Buckley, oils | 3.24 |
| 138 | New England Tel. & Tel. | 4.10 |
| 139 | Pierse Buttler | 1.70 |
| 140 | Pay roll | 134.36 |
| 141 | Pay roll | 277.30 |
| 142 | Pay roll | 330.94 |
| 143 | Pay roll | 271.14 |
| 144 | Pay roll | 256.13 |
| 145 | Pay roll | 244.83 |
| 146 | Lillian Loupratte, damages | 50.00 |

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| 147 | P. F. Hallinan, incidentals | 16.05 |
| 148 | Robinson & Jones Co. cement and brick | 18.40 |
| 150 | Joseph McCarthy, teaming | 5.75 |
| 151 | T. W. Burns, rubber boots | 7.00 |
| 152 | W. F. Adams, carpentering | 9.10 |
| 153 | A. W. Palmer, rubber gloves | 1.75 |
| 154 | Curry Bros. Oil Co., hose | 25.76 |
| 155 | D. W. Richardson, burlap | 12.50 |
| 155½ | Power & Equipment Co. | 51.20 |
| 156 | C. E. Buckley, boots | 4.50 |
| 157 | New England Tel. & Tel. | 7.74 |
| 158 | Fiske Corporation | 16.37 |
| 159 | P. F. Hallinan, use of team 2 months | 30.00 |
| 160 | P. F. Hallinan, sundry bills | 4.80 |
| 162 | J. W. Doon, coal and cement | 64.50 |
| 163 | Pay roll | 214.94 |
| 164 | Pay roll | 92.43 |
| 165 | Pay roll | 89.10 |
| 166 | Pay roll | 83.77 |
| 168 | Natick Water Dept. | 10.47 |
| 169 | W. W. Wight, engineering | 90.00 |
| 170 | Trustee Morse Hospital, office rent | 100.00 |
| 171 | M. J. Doherty, services as commissioner | 50.00 |
| 172 | Wm. M. Todd, services as commissioner | 50.00 |
| 173 | Henry M. Robbins, services as commissioner | 50.00 |
| 174 | P. F. Hallinan, use of team | 15.00 |

\$10,632.03

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

To the Sewer Commissioners of Natick:

Gentlemen:

I herewith respectfully submit the nineteenth annual report of the Sewer Department for the year ending December 31, 1914.

| | |
|---|-----------|
| Appropriation for extension | \$3335.00 |
| The system was extended on the following streets. | |
| Bellevue Road | 314 feet |
| Manchester Place | 234 " |
| Mulligan Street | 243 " |
| Allen Court | 146 " |
| High Street | 52 " |
| Curve Street | 433 " |

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|------------------|-----------|
| Total Extensions | 1422 feet |
|------------------|-----------|

A table giving details of the same may be found on another page of this report.

The total length of pipe laid from six to thirty inches in diameter, including brick sewers, is fifteen miles three hundred and thirty-four feet.

HOUSE CONNECTIONS

Thirty-eight houses were connected with the system the past year making the total number of connections to December 1, 1914

| | |
|---------------------------------------|----|
| Houses connected and not plumbed | 23 |
| Houses on line of sewer not connected | 58 |

| | |
|-------------------------------|------|
| Those paying by meter rates | 1141 |
| Those paying by fixture rates | 73 |

FLUSHING

The system was thoroughly flushed in August and found to be in a good and sanitary condition. Roots of trees growing into the mains have caused considerable trouble in the past year, obstructing the flow of sewage and thus making it necessary to dig up the mains and make repairs. Florence, Walnut and Highland Streets were repaired. On Maple Street we found that the main had separated at the joint and one end settled in the sand, causing a complete stoppage. We were obliged to work on Sunday to make the repairs, the cost of making the above-named repairs was \$95.37.

FILTERING AREA

The beds are doing good work. The discontinuing of the burning of the sludge in accordance with the instructions of the State Board of Health has added to the expense of caring for the beds, as the amount paid out this year is somewhat in excess of that of previous years. The banks were rebuilt in many places and several leaks in the distributing lines had to be repaired.

PUMPING STATION

The conditions at the station continue to improve and at the present time the cost of pumping sewage is lower than it has been since the station was put in operation. The amount of coal consumed being fifty percent less than the best record made by the plunger pump.

A new feed pump was installed to replace the one put in when the plant was first started, so at present we are drafting most of the water that we use for the boilers. This reduces our water bills more than one-half.

In conclusion I wish to thank the Commissioners for the valuable assistance rendered to the department.

Expenditure of Maintenance

| | |
|---|------------|
| Expenses at Station including repairs on House | \$3,344.90 |
| Care of Filter Beds | 1,177.91 |
| All other expenses including Flushing, Raising and Lowering Manholes, Insurance, etc., | 2,150.57 |
| | \$6,673.41 |

PUMPING STATISTICS

| | |
|--|-------------|
| Make of pump—De Lavell 85 BHP | |
| Turbine driven centrifugal pump | |
| Total gallons pumped allowing for slip | 253,992,258 |
| Average cost per million gallons pumped based on coal consumption | \$2.94 |
| Average cost of coal delivered at station, per ton | 4.70 |
| Average cost per million gallons pumped based on expense of station, viz. (\$3344.90) | 13.56 |
| Average cost per million gallons pumped with plunger pump previously used up to 1913 based on coal consumption | 5.71 |
| <hr style="width: 20%; margin: 10px auto;"/> | |
| Rental Earning for year ending December 31, 1914 | \$9367.20 |
| Due the Department up to Dec. 31, 1914 | 4954.78 |

Financial Statement

RECEIPTS

| | |
|--------------------------------|-------------|
| Appropriation for Construction | \$3,335.00 |
| Sewer Rental | 7,198.02 |
| House Connection | 1,185.31 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$11,718.33 |

EXPENDITURES

| | |
|---------------------------------|-------------|
| Maintenance | \$6673.41 |
| Construction | 2849.53 |
| House Connection | 1,106.19 |
| Over draft on Construction 1913 | 510.83 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$11,139.96 |
| | <hr/> |
| Balance | 588.37 |

SUMMARY

CONSTRUCTION

| | |
|------------------|-----------|
| Expended | \$2849.53 |
| Over draft. 1913 | 510.83 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$3360.36 |
| Appropriation | 3335.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| Overdrawn | \$25.36 |

HOUSE CONNECTION

| | |
|------------------|-----------|
| Expended | \$1106.19 |
| Over draft, 1913 | 116.07 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$1222.26 |
| Receipts | 1185.31 |
| | <hr/> |
| Overdrawn | 36.95 |

MAINTENANCE

| | |
|--------------------|-----------|
| Receipt | \$7198.02 |
| Expended | 6673.41 |
| | <hr/> |
| Unexpended Balance | \$524.61 |

P. F. HALLINAN,
Superintendent.

Approved.

THOMAS J. SHEA,
Auditor.

January 30, 1915.

TABLE SHOWING LENGTHS AND COSTS ETC., OF SEWER EXTENSIONS

| STREET | FROM | TO | LENGTH | MANHOLES | CUBIC YDS ROCK | MAXIMUM CUT | MINIMUM CUT | AVERAGE CUT | LABOR COST | MATERIAL COST | AVERAGE COST | TOTAL COST | MATERIAL |
|---------------------|-----------------------|---------------|---------|----------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------|-------------------|
| Bellevue Road | Washington Ave. | 314 ft. West | 314 ft. | 1 | | 7 ft. | 6 ft., 2 in. | 6 ft., 7 in. | \$149.96 | \$122.91 | \$.86 | \$272.81 | Clay, Sand |
| Manchester Place | East Central Street | 234 ft. South | 234 | 1 | | 6 ft., 4 in. | 2 ft., 3 in. | 4 ft., 3½ in. | 126.26 | 102.48 | .97 | 228.74 | Stone, |
| Mulligan Street | South Avenue | 243 ft South | 243 | 1 | | 7 ft. | 4 ft., 9 in. | 5 ft., 10 in. | 166.77 | 97.82 | 1.09 | 264.59 | Gravel |
| Allen Court | Morse | 145 ft. West | 145 | | | 4 ft., 6 in. | 1 ft., 6 in. | 3 ft., | 49.55 | 41.46 | .62 | 91.01 | Clay |
| High Street | Manhole so. of Nelson | Nelson | 52 | | | 6 ft., 2 in. | 6 ft. | 6 ft., 1 in. | 31.39 | 11.96 | .84 | 43.35 | Gravel |
| Curve Street | Pitts Street | High Street | 443 | 2 | | 13 ft. | 6 ft., 6 in. | 9 ft., 9 in. | 1,067.51 | 3.14 | 3.19 | 1,382.27 | Sand, very wet |

RECORD OF SEWERAGE PUMPING STATION FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1914

| Month | Hrs. and Min. Pumping | | Gallons Pumped by | | No. of Days run | Total Coal used in lbs. | Ashes | Gallons pumped to 1 lb. of Coal | Duty in foot lbs. per 100 lbs. of Coal | Cylinder oil used in gallons | Turned | Waste | Wood used in lbs. |
|---------------------|-----------------------|----------------|-------------------|----------------|-----------------|-------------------------|--------|---------------------------------|--|------------------------------|--------|-------|-------------------|
| | 2 Million Pump | 4 Million Pump | 2 Million Pump | 4 Million Pump | | | | | | | | | |
| February | 1-45 | 140-15 | 142,245 | 23,030,255 | 28 | 29,255 | 4,215 | 792 | 45,620,502 | 3 | 2 | 3 | ..... |
| March | ..... | 205-10 | ..... | 35,545,517 | 30 | 38,325 | 6,945 | 915 | 50,172,034 | 4 | 3 | 4 | ..... |
| April | ..... | 291-30 | ..... | 50,037,910 | 30 | 60,015 | 8,615 | 833 | 50,037,910 | 6 | 5 | 6 | ..... |
| May | ..... | 267-15 | ..... | 48,404,280 | 31 | 58,105 | 8,340 | 827 | 50,537,935 | 6 | 5 | 6 | ..... |
| June | ..... | 123-20 | ..... | 20,804,700 | 21 | 28,285 | 4,470 | 772 | 42,309,849 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 250 |
| July | 16-45 | 109-45 | 1,514,078 | 17,300,925 | 18 | 22,850 | 3,590 | 776 | 42,927,720 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 300 |
| August | ..... | 44-25 | 273,320 | 7,150,575 | 17 | 20,995 | 3,395 | 608 | 33,264,437 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 180 |
| September | 3-15 | 73- | 577,174 | 11,717,075 | 16 | 15,930 | 3,055 | 771 | 42,956,198 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 200 |
| October | 6-45 | 67-10 | 1,216,410 | 10,739,925 | 17 | 16,005 | 2,930 | 747 | 41,792,992 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 250 |
| November | 13-50 | 67-55 | 385,872 | 10,855,575 | 15 | 14,990 | 2,840 | 750 | 42,108,548 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 300 |
| December | 4-30 | 68-50 | 118,360 | 11,033,085 | 15 | 15,195 | 2,340 | 735 | 40,811,276 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 300 |
| Totals and Averages | 109-45 | 1,455-35 | 9,812,426 | 244,179,832 | C | 318,230 | 51,385 | 780-5 | 43,877,221 | 32 | 22 | 34 | 1750 |

Total Gallons Pumped, 253,992,255

WM. F. CRIBBS, Engineer.



ANNUAL REPORT

of the

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

of the

LEONARD MORSE HOSPITAL

NATICK, MASS.

1914.

LEONARD MORSE HOSPITAL

Trustees

Patrick H. Cooney
Charles H. Cook
William H. Sylvester

John B. Leamy
William J. Cochran
William S. Patten

Edward L. McManus.

Superintendent,

Miss Jessie M. Woodbury.

Assistant Superintendent,

Miss Helen E. McMonnies.

Consulting Surgeons,

| | |
|-------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Samuel J. Mixter, M. D. | Joshua C. Hubbard, M. D. |
| William M. Conant, M. D. | William J. Mixter, M. D. |
| William A. Brooks, Jr., M. D. | Charles G. Mixter, M. D. |
| George W. W. Brewster, M. D. | George O. Clark, M. D. |
| Hugh Williams, M. D. | Arthur L. Chute, M. D. |

Consulting Homeopathic Surgeons,

*Winfield S. Smith, M. D. J. Emmons Briggs, M. D.

Nathaniel W. Emerson.

Consulting Orthopaedic Surgeon,

Joel E. Goldthwait, M. D.

Consulting Aural Surgeon

Eugene A. Crockett, M. D.

Senior Physician, Charles H. Cook, M. D.

Attending Physicians,

| | |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------|
| William H. Sylvester, M. D. | George A. Bancroft, M. D. |
| William J. Cochran, M. D. | Charles E. Hills, M. D. |
| William W. Walcott, M. D. | †Ernest E. Sparks, M. D. |

Attending Surgeon,

Michael F. Burke, M. D.

Attending Homeopathic Physicians,

A. Francis Story, M. D. Edward A. Miller, M. D.

Assisting Physicians,

| | |
|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| Edward E. Bancroft, M. D. | William Mitchell, M. D. |
| †Ernest E. Sparks, M. D. | Arthur C. Mitchell, M. D. |
| Royal Hatch, M. D. | Charles A. Pease, M. D. |
| George C. Anthony, M. D. | Ewald G. Baum, M. D. |

Thomas J. Maguire, M. D.

Chemist

H. Carleton Smith

*Deceased

†Elected an Attending Physician May, 1914

REPORT OF TRUSTEES

The trustees of the hospital have the honor to make this their twenty-second annual report for the year ending December 31, 1914.

In the nature of things, these reports are much the same, the same story told over again from year to year with little variation and not much that is new, but it is hoped that though the facts may be stale and trite, the renewed statement of them may bring to mind the present condition of affairs at the hospital so that it may be seen and understood by all.

It is fitting that at frequent intervals the people of Natick be reminded of the great debt of gratitude due the memory of Mary Ann Morse, that kindly old lady now dead these twenty odd years, whose generosity bestowed the means by which this noble charity was founded and in a great measure is maintained. Her good deeds in this respect should keep her name and memory ever green and high in the annals of her "dearly beloved town," as one of its greatest benefactors.

The demands upon the hospital the past year have increased rather more than usual, especially in surgical and maternity cases. Much of the time both wards and all the other rooms were filled and at times cot beds were set up in the corridors, but even then on occasions it became necessary to refuse admission to patients for lack of accommodations for them.

In looking the situation over now, the wonder is how the sick and the lame were cared for before the hospital was built.

It is manifest that this cramped and crowded condition must be relieved if the sick are to be comfortably housed and the hospital is to perform its full mission. Attention was called to the

above condition in the last two reports and the necessity for enlargement is still growing and has become so acute that it is not seen how much longer delay in building an additional ward can be allowed or tolerated.

Speaking generally and relatively to the condition of our sister hospitals, the financial condition of the hospital is fairly good. The usual annual appropriation of \$3,000 was cut last year \$250.00 on account of the change in the fiscal year, and the interest on one mortgage investment of \$3,500.00 was defaulted so that the hospital suffered a considerable loss of income from that source, but the trustees are of the opinion that for the current year an appropriation of three thousand dollars is all that will be fairly needed.

It should be stated that the mortgage investment above mentioned is one made by Mr. Morse and the trustees are in no wise responsible for it, having received it under Mrs. Morse' will.

Miss Woodbury has now been the superintendent for about three years. Her position is a responsible one and her duties are arduous and exacting, as she is the executive head of the institution in all of its departments. It is a pleasure to state that she has shown herself fully capable of filling the position and that her management has met and does meet the hearty approval of the trustees.

Miss McMonnies still continues to perform well her duties as assistant superintendent.

The private donations of the year taken together amount to a considerable sum; and considering that they were made without special solicitation, are commendable. Donation days are chiefly beneficial in stimulating and keeping up an interest in the welfare and success of the hospital, and so far as the children who take part in them are concerned, they are educational in teaching them at an early age to take an interest in and help to care for those less fortunate than themselves.

In accordance with the custom heretofore adopted, the names of those giving \$50.00 or over are set down in this report.

They are:

| | |
|-------------------------|----------|
| Frank W. Hunnewell | \$100.00 |
| Henry S. Hunnewell | 100.00 |
| Mrs. Henry S. Hunnewell | 100.00 |
| Patrick H. Cooney | 100.00 |

The names of the others will be found in the report of the superintendent.

What was said of the Women's Aid Society in our last report is repeated with emphasis:—"The Women's Aid Society are still engaged in their good work, aiding in many ways the work at the hospital. These women seem never to fail and never to tire in doing charitable work; and the beneficiaries of the hospital as well as the management are grateful to them for all they have done and for all they are now doing for it."

During the year Dr. Winfield S. Smith, one of the consulting surgeons died. He was an eminent and skilful surgeon, a genial and kindly man, and in his death the hospital sustained a distinct loss. With the exception of Dr. Smith, the medical staff remain the same and they have all served the hospital faithfully, and well deserve thanks for it.

The report of Mr. Leamy, the treasurer, is published herewith and made a part of this report.

For the trustees,

PATRICK H. COONEY,

Chairman.

Treasurer's Report

Cash Received:

| | |
|---------------------------|-----------|
| Cash Bal., Jan. 1st, 1914 | \$ 40.58 |
| Income from Hospital | 12,346.43 |
| Income from Investments | 2,920.73 |
| Income from Masonic Block | 3,106.23 |
| Income from Donations | 672.80 |
| Town Appropriation | 2,750.00 |

\$22,336.77

Paid Out:

| | |
|-------------------|----------|
| Hospital Pay Roll | 8,227.54 |
| Fuel | 2,193.44 |
| Light and Power | 559.80 |
| Drugs | 543.86 |
| Provisions | 5,578.46 |
| Supplies | 1,250.93 |
| Repairs | 795.25 |
| Insurance | 613.14 |
| Ambulance | 206.25 |
| Miscellaneous | 1,317.71 |
| Masonic Block | 859.47 |
| Bal. | 190.92 |

\$22,336.77

List of Investments:

| | |
|---------------------------------------|-------------|
| 11 Town of Natick Notes | \$27,665.00 |
| 20 American Tel. & Tel. Bonds | 20,000.00 |
| 2 No. Pac. Gt. No. & C. B. & Q. Bonds | 15,000.00 |

| | |
|--------------------------------|--------------|
| 3 Boston Elevated R. R. Bonds | 3,000.00 |
| 3 C. B. & Q. R. R. Bonds | 3,000.00 |
| 2 N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., Bonds | 2,000.00 |
| Natick Five Cents Savings Bank | 500.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$71,165.00 |
| Mortgage Notes | 4,450.00 |
| Masonic Block | 35,000.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$110,615.00 |

Special Funds:

| | |
|-------------------------------|--------|
| Dr. Townsend, Room Fund | 144.07 |
| Lowly Ann Coolidge, Room Fund | 127.85 |
| Mary S. Hayes, Room Fund | 164.62 |
| J. W. W. H. Fund | 59.13 |

J. B. LEAMY,

Treasurer

Superintendent's Report

To the Trustees of the Leonard Morse Hospital,
Gentlemen:—

I herewith submit for your consideration the sixteenth annual report of the Superintendent of the Leonard Morse Hospital, for the year ending December 31, 1914.

STATISTICS

| | |
|---|-------|
| Number of patients in hospital Dec. 31, 1913 | 19 |
| Admitted from Jan. 1, 1914, to Dec. 31, 1914, inc. | 482 |
| Number treated during 1914 | 501 |
| Females | 318 |
| Males | 164 |
| Surgical Cases | 223 |
| Medical Cases | 195 |
| Maternity Cases | 64 |
| Discharged well | 345 |
| Discharged improved | 77 |
| Discharged not improved | 07 |
| Died | 35 |
| Remaining in hospital Dec. 31, 1914 | 18 |
| Largest number of patients in hospital during twenty-four hours | 30 |
| Smallest number of patients in hospital during twenty-four hours | 10 |
| Deaths within twenty-four hours after admission | 6 |
| Deaths within forty-eight hours after admission | 1 |
| Daily average number of patients | 19.24 |
| 65 trips were made with the ambulance | |

NATIVITY OF PATIENTS ADMITTED.

| | |
|---------------|-----|
| United States | 382 |
| Canada | 28 |
| Ireland | 26 |
| France | 1 |
| Germany | 2 |
| Albania | 8 |
| Italy | 5 |
| Sweden | 6 |
| Norway | 2 |
| England | 8 |
| Hungary | 2 |
| Newfoundland | 2 |
| Scotland | 5 |
| Turkey | 1 |
| Portugal | 1 |
| Switzerland | 1 |
| Austria | 1 |
| Finland | 1 |

CAUSE OF DEATH AND TIME AFTER ADMISSION

| | |
|----------------------------|-----------------|
| Anemia, pernicious | 5 days |
| Abscess, pelvic | 24 hours |
| Appendicitis and Pregnancy | 5 days |
| Appendicitis | 3 weeks, 5 days |
| Appendicitis | 3 weeks |
| Arteriosclerosis | 3 days |
| Arteriosclerosis | 3 weeks, 1 day |
| Burns | 11 days |
| Burns | 11 hours |
| Carcinoma of breast | 13 days |
| Carcinoma of liver | 9 days |
| Cancer of stomach | 2 weeks, 3 days |
| Cerebral hemorrhage | 3½ hours |
| Cyst of liver, congenital | 62 hours |
| Confinement | 12 hours |

| | |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------|
| Diabetes Mellitus | 2 days |
| Fracture of spine | 4 hours |
| Fracture of base of skull | 8 days |
| Gastritis | 4 days |
| Heart disease, valvular | 2 weeks, 2 days |
| Heart disease, mitral regurgitation | 4 days |
| Meningitis, tubercular | 6 days |
| Nephritis | 12 hours |
| Nephritis | 11 days |
| Nephritis | 10 days |
| Pneumonia and paralysis | 3 weeks, 4 days |
| Pneumonia, lobar | 5 days |
| Pneumonia, lobar | 3 days |
| Pneumonia | 4 days |
| Premature birth | 3 days |
| Premature birth | 30 minutes |
| Senility | 11 weeks |
| Still born infants | 3 |

SURGICAL CASES

| | Number of Cases | Operated Upon | Recovered | Improved | Not Improved | Died | Remaining |
|--|-----------------|---------------|-----------|----------|--------------|------|-----------|
| Abscess of arm | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Abscess of ear | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Abscess Ischio rectal | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Abscess of pelvis | 3 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Abscess of labia | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Abscess Vulva vaginal | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Abscess scrotal | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Abscess double inguinal | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Abscess on thigh | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Abscess peritonsillar | 4 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Appendicitis | 35 | 32 | 29 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Appendicitis with pregnancy | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Appendicitis and cyst of broad ligament | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Appendicitis and dermoid cyst | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Appendicitis and inguinal hernia | 4 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Appendicitis and peritonitis | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Adenitis | 2 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Adhesion abdominal | 4 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Amputation of foot | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

| | Number of Cases | Operated Upon | Recovered | Improved | Not Improved | Died | Remaining in Hospital |
|---|-----------------|---------------|-----------|----------|--------------|------|-----------------------|
| Burns | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Bow legs | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Carcinoma of breast | 8 | 8 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Carcinoma of stomach | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Carcinoma of liver | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Carcinoma of vulva | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Carbuncle | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Cataract | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Contusions multiple | 4 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Congenital obstruction of posterior nares | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Crushed fingers | 5 | 5 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Dislocation of ankle | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Empyema | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Endometritis | 5 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Endometritis and lacerated perineum | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Endometritis and fibroid | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Endometritis and antifixion | 4 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Fibroma of breast | 4 | 4 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Fistula of ano | 4 | 4 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Fracture of tibia | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Fracture of femur | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Fracture of patella | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Fracture of tibia and fibula | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Fracture of spine | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |

| | Number of Cases | Operated Upon | Recovered | Improved | Not Improved | Died | Remaining in Hospital |
|---|-----------------|---------------|-----------|----------|--------------|------|-----------------------|
| Fracture of jaw | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Fracture of ribs | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Fracture of skull | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Glaucoma | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Gall stones | 5 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Gall stones and ovarian cyst | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Hernia, ventral | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Hernia, inguinal | 7 | 7 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Hemorrhoids | 4 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Injury to leg | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Injury to leg and back | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Injury to knee | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Ingrowing toe nail | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Incised wound of foot | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Intestinal obstruction | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Kidney, movable | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Laceration of perineum | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Laceration of perineum and cervix | 5 | 5 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Laceration of perineum and cervix and retroversion | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Lymphoma of back | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Metritis | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Otitis media | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Ovarian cyst | 4 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Ovarian cyst with twisted pedicle | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Obstruction, pyloric | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

| | Number of Cases | Operated Upon | Recovered | Improved | Not Improved | Died | Remaining in Hospital |
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| Osteomyelitis of tibia | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Prostate hypertrophy | 3 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Prostate malignant | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Peritonitis, tubercular | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Ranula | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Salpingitis | 4 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Septic hand | 5 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Septic leg | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Sinus pilonidal | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Sinus appendicular | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Synovitis of knee | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Tonsils, hypertrophy | 10 | 10 | 9 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Trauma of head and back | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Tic douloureux | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Uterine fibroids | 5 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Uterine prolapsus | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Uterine polypus | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Uterine, retroversion | 4 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Ulcer duodenal | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Ulcer duodenal perforated | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Varicocele | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Wen, suppurating | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

MEDICAL CASES

| | No. Cases | Recovered | Improved | Not Improved | Died | Remaining in Hospital |
|------------------------|-----------|-----------|----------|--------------|------|-----------------------|
| Anæmia | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Alcoholism | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Arteriosclerosis | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Arthritis | 4 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Births | 61 | 53 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 2 |
| Bronchitis | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Cerebral hemorrhage | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| Chorea | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Colitis | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Cystitis, acute | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Debility | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Dementia | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Diabetes Mellitiss | 3 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Dysentery | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Embolism | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Emesia | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Epilepsy | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Erysipelas | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Gastritis | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Heart disease, organic | 4 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

| | Number Cases | Recovered | Improved | Not Improved | Died | Remaining in Hospital |
|-----------------------------|--------------|-----------|----------|--------------|------|-----------------------|
| Heart disease, valvular | 6 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Hysteria | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Hemiplegia | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Indigestion, acute | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Influenza | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Jaundice, catarrhal | 4 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| La grippe | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Malnutrition | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Malaria | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Malaria and anæmia | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Measles | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Meningitis, tubercular | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Neurasthenia | 8 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Nephritis | 7 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| Nephritis, chronic | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Nephritis and heart disease | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Paralysis, facial | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| " | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Pneumonia, lobar | 7 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Pneumonia | 8 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Pnumonia, central | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Pneumonia and empyemia | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Prostration, heat | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Poison, lead | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Psychosis | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Retention of urine | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

| | Number Cases | Recovered | Improved | Not Improved | Died | Remaining in Hospital |
|------------------------|--------------|-----------|----------|--------------|------|-----------------------|
| Rheumatism | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Stomatitis | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Syphilis | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Sciatica | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Senility | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Tonsillitis | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Tuberculosis pulmonary | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Typhoid fever | 6 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Uremic convulsions | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

MATERNITY CASES

| | Number Cases | Recovered | Improved | Not Improved | Died | Remaining in Hospital |
|------------------|--------------|-----------|----------|--------------|------|-----------------------|
| Confinements | 60 | 56 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| Cesarean section | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Miscarriage | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

THE AMOUNT OF CHARITABLE WORK HAS BEEN AS
FOLLOWS:

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| 870 days' free treatment to 52 patients at the regular ward rate of \$10.50 per week | 1,305.00 |
| 90 days treatment to patients who paid from 5.00 to \$6.00 per week, rebates amounting to | \$74.00 |
| 6 trips were made with the ambulance for which no remuneration was received | 18.00 |
| To this should be added | 564.60 |
| which was lost through patients failing to pay according to agreement, making a total | \$1,961.60 |

THE INCOME OF THE HOSPITAL HAS BEEN AS

FOLLOWS:

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| Private patients | \$9,977.05 |
| Ward patients | 1,735.60 |
| Outside towns | 7.50 |
| Services of nurses outside of hospital | 693.08 |
| Use of ambulance | 157.95 |
| Donations | 672.80 |
| Miscellaneous | 257.82 |

CASH DONATIONS FOR THE YEAR 1914

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| Mr. Henry Hunnewell | \$100.00 |
| Mrs. Henry Hunnewell | 100.00 |
| Mr. Francis W. Hunnewell | 100.00 |
| Mr. P. H. Cooney | 100.00 |
| Sunday School, Natick Congregational Church | |
| W. J. Cochran, M. D. | 25.00 |
| Mr. Walter Hunnewell | 25.00 |

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| Misses Conant and Bigelow | 25.00 |
| Mrs. Francis Sargent | 20.00 |
| First Baptist Church, Natick | 20.00 |
| Rev. O. R. LaCroix | 15.00 |
| Mr. Joseph Coombs | 10.00 |
| A Friend | 10.00 |
| Mr. Henry C. Mulligan | 10.00 |
| Mrs. Anna Jones | 5.00 |
| Mrs. Bradlee Whidden | 5.00 |
| Mrs. Fred M. Rice | 5.00 |
| Mr. John A. Craig | 5.00 |
| Mr. Patrick Rowan | 5.00 |
| Mr. Benjamin Hersh | 5.00 |
| Mrs. Edward Clark | 5.00 |
| Christian Endeavor Society, Natick Baptist Church. | 5.00 |
| Friendship Class, Natick Baptist Church | 2.50 |
| Collected by Friendship Class | 4.00 |
| Miss M. E. Bellum | 1.00 |
| Mrs. Theresa Buckley | 2.00 |
| Mrs. C. E. Hills | 2.00 |
| A Friend | 1.00 |
| Mr. James Clough | 1.00 |
| Mr. Fayette Travis | 1.00 |
| Miss Margaret Nelson | 1.00 |
| Mr. Samuel Hunter | 1.00 |
| Mr. J. F. O'Neil | 1.00 |
| Mr. Peter Donnelly | 2.85 |
| Mrs. N. P. Goodwin | 2.00 |
| Wilson School | .60 |
| James Currier | .25 |
| Mr. Sleight | .25 |
| Francis Mulqueeney | .25 |
| John Hopkins | .25 |
| Mary Dufault | .05 |
| Madeline Hopf | .05 |

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| William Hopf | .05 |
| Lena Anderson | .20 |
| Hector MacDonald | .05 |
| Hollis Wilde | .05 |
| Robert Bigelow | .10 |
| Thelma Brophy | .25 |
| Elizabeth Clark | .10 |
| Clifford Severson | .05 |
| Mary Genero | .10 |
| Raymond Ward | .50 |
| Agnes Flynn | .10 |
| Robert Morley | .10 |
| Edna Frost | .25 |
| Arthur Wigglesworth | .10 |
| Ernest MacDonald | .10 |
| Nathan Rice School | .45 |
| Josephine Fennessey | .25 |
| Joyce Shaw | .50 |
| Alice O'Brien | .10 |
| Robert O'Neil | .05 |
| Gladys Fairbanks | .10 |
| Viola Fairbanks | .10 |
| Fairbanks | 10. |
| Total | \$672.80 |

CANNED FRUIT AND JELLY

Mrs. Anna Jones, Mrs. P. F. Daniher, Mrs. Ella Wilson, Mrs. Eugene Gordon, Mrs. Calvin Randall, Mrs. Charles Moody, Mrs. Charles Green, Mrs. F. L. Cupples, Mrs. Dana Holbrook, Mrs. A. O. Brooks, Mrs. Charles H. Dowse, Mrs. J. B. Leamy, Mrs. C. H. Clark, Mrs. Leonard Winch, Mrs. R. B. Willis, Mrs. Geo. W. Brown, Mrs. Ellen Brough, Mrs. Frank McMahan, Mrs. J. Hall, Mrs. Prince Crowell, Mrs. Walter Cook, Whipple Co-operative Co., Mrs. Walter Klein, Mrs. A. Gurney, Mrs. Charles Coulton, Mrs. Thomas Fiske, Mrs. Rosabella Fox, Mrs. Albert Wright, Mrs. E. Nichols, Mrs. Rice, Mrs. Ernest Jacobs, Mrs. Andrews, Mrs. Frank Boardman, Miss Eleanor Paul, Mrs. Fred Adams, Miss Frances Lewis, Mrs. Wm. Colby, Rev. and Mrs. Alfred Birks, Mrs. James Currier, Friendship Class, Natick Baptist Church, Mrs. A. Graham, St. Andrew's Church, Wellesley, Mrs. J. E. DeWitt, Misses Sylvia Brown, Marion Kenealy, Isabella Hammond, Mary Vahey, Elsie Gauthier, Mary Long, Margaret Plouffe, Lucy Murphy, Annie Dowd, Alice Houlihan, Marion Schneider, Irene Godendorf, Charlotte Robb, Annie Hesselock, Violet Foster, Gertrude Houlihan, Margaret Cody, Florence Doherty, Anna Mullen, Mary Lee, Dorothy Mahoney, Vivian Carter, Mary Alice Walsh, Eleanor Jones, Marjorie Diehl, Priscilla Butchman, Mary Murphy, Marion Robinson, Annie Ward, Addie Corbin, Bernice Hopf, Barbara Craig, Mildred McCarthy, Ruth Whalen, Ida Evans, Ruth Hanna, Violet Godendorf, Pauline Felch, Madolyn Derrick, Augusta MacDonald, Dorothy Whipple, Eva Holt, Elizabeth Eaton, Dorothy Longmore Bertha Bacon, Doris Graham, Mary Mahoney, Helen O'Brien, Anna Murphy, Margaret LaVarge, Gladys Andrews, Louise Fair, Rowena Leavitt, Mildred Goldrick, Hilda Robinson, Alice Doucette, Flora McDonald, Thelma Richards, Ruth Marston, Alice Murphy, Marion Spooner, Rose Murray, Dorothy Gray, Annie Ward, Beatrice Hills, Verna Wheet, Doon, Messrs. Robert Leonard, Harry Lautenschleger, Howard Schneider, Harold Spaulding, George Scott, Francis Burke, Arthur Barrett, Fred

Ward, Frank Mullen, Edwin Robbins, Ruford Carter, Alton Erving, Wilmouth Johnson, Harold Sheehan, Howard Mason, Brenham Gage, Walter Pine, Edward Colburn, Theodore Dennemore, Clifford Bates, Gregory Griffin, William Wilson, Master Kenneth Jones, Earl Miller, Raymond Frye, Louis Hawse, Daniel Murphy, Ellin Peoples, Farrington Fiske, John Adren, Michael Tamey, Samuel Silver, Ralph Cram, Clayton Morrill, John Fitzgerald, Edwin Robbins, Charles Hills.

Total—Jelly 234 tumblers.

Canned Fruit 102 jars.

VEGETABLES AND FRUITS

Mrs. T. M. Crosby, Mrs. Henry Hunnewell, Reginald Haycock, Misses Leah Domicelli, Beryl Sweetland, Master Emery Felch, Albert Hughes. John Dickoff, Donald Brown, Miss Gertrude Taylor, Master Warren Hartlett, James Coffey, Earlwin Murray, Chester Nichols, George Mabidy, Wadad Homsey, Robert Estey, Arthur Walker, Willard Chamberlain, Francis McNeil, Vincent Shea, Edward Messon, George Mordis, Max Mordis, Brendan Graham, Elliot Marston, Clifton Messon, Marshall Eaton, George Donovan, Homer MacDonald, Harry Goldsmith, David Godsoe, Charles Godsoe, Misses Margaret Walsh, Alma Hopf, Caroline Pomeroy, Louise Gauthier, Mary Sweeney, Mary Dowd, Jennie Brukowski, Helen Disney, Marjorie Brown, Lena Pine, Anita Dumas, Julia Murphy, Olga Seprano, Josephine Asward, Lena Fairbanks, Ida Mabidy, Genela Homsey, Mary Mabidy, Margaret Mansfield, Mary McNeil, Margaret Asward, Victoria Mabidy, Josephine Teebagy, Sara Teebagy, Ida Goodwin, Bertha Silver, Gertrude Landers, Doris Gray, Ruby Chamberlain, Blanche Peterson, Doris Marston, Marion Hamlet, Beatrice Barrett, Elizabeth Smith, Addie Corbin, Ruby Chamberlain, Dorothy Derrick, Marguerite Haviland, Gecumina Temprendale, Leah Domecelli, Ellen Dillon, Eileen Fitzgerald, Mrs. Edward Clark, Mrs. W. S. Patten, Mrs. A. Graham, Mrs. William Meagher, Mr. Samuel Hunter.

COMPRESS AND OLD LINEN

Mrs. Charles Reid, Mrs. Robert Shaw, Mrs. Annie Robinson, Mrs. Walter Coolidge, Mrs. Charles Pooke, Mrs. N. P. Goodnow, Mrs. Calvin Randall, Mrs. James Currier, Mrs. Isaac Gale, Mrs. Henry Hunnewell, Mrs. W. H. Brown, Mrs. Katherine Fannon, Mrs. Gustavus Smith, Misses Daisy Bernard, Reardon, Lois Hawes, Ruth Cramm, Alice Blandin, Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. Titus, Mrs. Rice, Mrs. Andrews, Friendship Class of Natick Baptist Church, Mercy and Help Department of M. E. Church, Natick.

MAGAZINES AND PAPERS

Mrs. A. D. Fellows, Mrs. F. N. Sargent, Mrs. N. P. Goodnow, Mrs. Edward Clark, Mrs. Imogene Bond, Mrs. L. P. Stone, Misses Ellen Ferguson, M. E. Reynolds, Susie T. Sprout, Mattie Colburn, Hazel Hutchins, Ruth Wright, Irene Norcross, Violet Foster, Marion Pfeiffer, Charlotte Robbins, Julia Kileen, Annie Robinson, Louise Hunnewell, Henderson, George E. Tabor, Messrs. H. B. Sanger, Robert Wright, Raymond Pulsifer, Thomas Kileen, Francis Dowd, Theodore Rice, Francis Tabor, Francis Leary Mercy and Help Department of Methodist Episcopal Church, Friendship Class of Natick Baptist Church, South Natick School.

MISCELLANEOUS

Mrs. Henry Robbins, Mrs. J. Hall, Mrs. L. A. Brown, Mrs. M. E. Towne, Mrs. Wheeler, Mrs. James Currier, Mrs. J. H. Harding, Mrs. Valentine, Mrs. Roy Fiske, Mrs. Bennett, Miss Anna Howe, Mrs. F. Twitchell, Mrs. Brannigan, Misses Frances Barnicle, Laura Kopf, Louise Glynn, Grace Brannagan, Beatrice Hills, Mary Powers, Josephine Antilek, Mary Whalen, Charlotte Hanna, Katherine Feeley, Isabella Hammond, Margaret Peterson, Ruth Dowd, Ruth Carson, Esther Carlson, Louise Stearns, Edna Meehan, Sarah Gibbons, Charlotte Goodwin, Ethel Cram, Mildred Mulligan, Oliver Bros., Mr. Patrick Rowan, Mrs. Daniel Wight and Miss Wight, Mr. A. J. Doon, Mrs. E. T. Russell,

Mr. M. E. Goulding, Mrs. George Brown, Mrs. I. M. Fellows, Mr. John Schaller, Masters Vincent Brannigan, Parker O. Brien, Edmund Atkinson, Alvin Phillips, Walter Houlihan, Eugene Fitzpatrick, Charles Kane, Robert Leonard, Louis Brannigan, Rucl Richards, Elton Peoples, Clifford Bates, Clarence Bates, Robert Dismay, Allen Richards, Theodore O'Brien, Raymond Ahern, Edward Barnicle, Harold Gibbons, Alfred McDermott, Roy Carter, Albert Griffin, Clifford Bates, Clarence Bates, John Pine, Joseph Kadlick, Ernest Avery. Edward Brannigan, Misses Myrtle Gray, Margaret Fee, Beatrice Flynn, Helen McGrath, Mary Meyers, Helen Belger, Viola Syplar.

Total, Pickles and canned vegetables, 42 jars

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| Pillows, | 2 |
| Dolls, | 2 |
| Napkins | 2 Doz. |
| Tray Cloths, | 3 |
| Grape juice, | 12 bottles |
| Dish towels, | 6 |
| Wine, | 4 bottles |
| Cocoa, | 9 boxes |
| Gelatine, | 5 boxes |
| Crackers, | 7 packages |
| Cornstarch, | 15 packages |
| Tapioca, | 8 packages |
| Rice, | 9 packages |
| Cereal, | 8 packages |
| Sugar, | 3 packages |
| Soap, | 114 pieces |
| Condensed milk, | 1 can |
| Milk, | 2 quarts |
| Soap powder, | 5 packages |
| Raisins, | 3 packages |
| Vinegar, | 1 gallon |
| Honey, | 1 box |

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| Flour, | 1 barrel |
| Scrap book, | 1 |
| Toys | |
| Bath towels, | 7 |
| Dressing jacket, | 1 |
| Pajama suits, | 3 |

CUT FLOWERS

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Holbrook, Mr. and Mrs. Robert McGorum, Mrs. Edwin Farwell, Mr. B. H. Sanborn, Wellesley, Commercial Club, Natick, Miss Ada Brown, Mrs. A. C. Anderson.

MUSIC FURNISHED BY THE FOLLOWING PEOPLE

January—Lillian Holbrook, vocal, Marguerite Whitney, piano, Byrl Kimball, Ruby Yeager, Caroline Shenfele, Dorothy Ingles, Mr. Derby, Miss Derby, Edith Nutt, Helen Nutt, Mrs. Griffin, Mary Brannigan, Mary Dowd.

February—Agnes Monteith, Nellie Griffin, Louise Cunniff, Marguerite Burke, Mildred Ryan, Sydney Featherman, Helen Keating, Hazel Toner, Hildegard Towne, Alice Duguid.

March—Mabel Stark, Mildred Ryan, Frank Ryan, Marion Bayer.

April—Ruth Howard, Misses Diehl.

May—Frank Ryan, Mabel Stark, Hazel Hanchett, Ralph Harding.

June—Alice Duguid, Douglas Duguid, Alice Johnson, Ruth and Lillian Howard, Helen Felch, Helen Spooner, Elizabeth Spooner, Mildred Williams, Barbara Daniels, Roger Langley, Miriam Eldridge.

December—Gladys Gould, Mary Clark, vocal, Gladys McLane, Sidney Featherman, Frank Ryan, Mabel Ryan.

Christmas Music—Douglas Duguid, Frank Ryan, Mildred Ryan, Mrs. Edward Clark.

Carol Singers from Congregational Church Christmas Eve—Misses Doris Buell, Ellen Bartlett, Jessie Adams, Grace Bartlett, Mrs. Herbert Rose, Mrs. F. A. Daggett, Messrs. F. A. Daggett, Sophrocles Constantine, Frank O. Brown.

The Natick Woman's Club provided a new mattress for their room.

The Hospital committee and Ladies' Aid Association have continued their work with unabated zeal.

Donation Day was very successful, altho the weather was unfavorable. We are very grateful to the ladies who solicited, to the Superintendent of schools who permitted the children to take their donations to the schools where they were collected, to the children who responded so generously, to Howe & Company's express, and others for delivering, and to all who helped make the day successful.

The amount of linen supplied by the Ladies' Aid Association, as follows:

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| Table cloths | 6 |
| • Napkins | 96 |
| Sterilizing covers | 55 |
| Dish towels | 48 |
| Pillow cases | 48 |
| Mattress covers | 12 |
| Sheets | 36 |
| Sheets (small) | 12 |
| Arctic quilts | 42 |
| Blankets | 24 pairs |
| Bath towels | 36 |
| Bed gowns | 54 |
| Bed gowns, infants | 06 |

Sewing has been done by the Association, also by The Ladies' Benevolent Society, Pilgrim church, Sherborn; Camp fire girls, Cochituate; Mrs. George Fisher, Natick; Ladies' Auxiliary St. Andrew's church, Wellesley.

We would at this time express our thanks to all those who have helped to make a success of the work at the hospital.

Respectfully submitted,
JESSIE M. WOODBURY, R. N.
Superintendent.

Training School for Nurses

For the Year ending September 30, 1914

The Leonard Morse Hospital training school for nurses has completed its fourteenth year. It offers a three years' course of instruction to women desirous of learning nursing. Candidates wishing to take this course must apply personally, or by letter, to the Superintendent, and must furnish satisfactory evidence as to good health and educational qualifications. They must send with their application a certificate to that effect from the family physician.

After approval applicants are received for two months on probation. At the end of the first month, if considered satisfactory, they are permitted to wear the Hospital cap, but are not permitted to join the school formally until the end of the second month, when, if accepted, they are required to sign an agreement to complete the prescribed course of three years and to comply with all rules and regulations. At the end of the first six months the record and work of each pupil are carefully scrutinized as to her qualifications. The right is reserved by the authorities of the Hospital to terminate at any time the connection of any pupil nurse with the school.

During the first two months pupils are called probationers; for the remainder of the first year Junior Nurses; during the second year Senior Nurses; during the third year Advanced Senior Nurses.

The course comprises class instruction from textbooks and manuals of nursing, daily drill in the wards, operating room and other departments of the hospital by the Superintendent and the Assistant Superintendent of Nurses, lectures and demonstrations

by the physicians connected with the Training School, together with lectures by other physicians. It includes practical experience in maternity nursing, one month in District Nursing under the direction of the nurse connected with the District Nursing Association, and experience in private nursing under the supervision of the physicians who are instructors in the Training School. Twenty-eight lessons in Domestic Science, of two and one-half hours each, are given by a competent instructor. In addition each nurse is given practical experience in the diet kitchen in the preparation of food and "getting out trays." Chemistry and urinalysis are taught by lectures and laboratory work. Lessons in massage are given by an experienced instructor.

An elective course of four months at the Boston City Hospital is given the Senior nurses in either medical, surgical and gynecological nursing, or contagious diseases.

Lectures are given by the physicians connected with the Hospital on hygiene, bacteriology, fever nursing, surgical nursing, symptomatology, obstetrical nursing, care of children, disease of the skin, anaesthetics, materia medica, ethics of nursing, and by specialists on the eye, ear, contagious, infectious and mental diseases.

Class and recitation-work includes anatomy, physiology, materia medica, obstetrics, principles of nursing, dietetics, and ethics of nursing.

Daily instruction includes the general care of the sick, the making of beds, changing of bed and body linen, managing helpless patients in bed, giving baths, keeping patients either warm or cool, and the proper management of patients under various conditions with different diseases, and injuries making and applying all kinds of bandages, preparation of splints, application and management of surgical apparatus, applying poultices and fomentations, dressing burns, ulcers and wounds, and the preparation of dressings.

Nurses are taught how to meet the various emergencies oc-

curing in hospital and private nursing as well as the accidents of ordinary life.

Instruction is also given in the best practical methods of supplying fresh air, of warming and ventilating sick rooms and the care of sick rooms for the welfare and comfort of patients, in keeping all utensils and appliances clean and disinfected; in taking pulse, temperature and respiration; in accurate observations of expectorations, excretions, state of the skin; of mental conditions as to delirium, stupor, shock, etc.; of the condition as to sleep, appetite, the effect of diet, stimulants and medicines, the behaviour of wounds, and the after treatment in surgical operations. and in the management of convalescents.

Nurses are taught how to administer medicines, the proper method of applying external remedies, the best way of taking notes, making up nurses' records and preparing clinical records for the attending physician.

While the instruction by manuals, text-books, lectures, demonstrations and quizzes is systematic and thorough, still greater emphasis is laid upon accurate daily drill in the wards, operating room, and other departments of the Hospital. Examinations, both oral and written, are held at intervals by the authorities of the Training School, and nurses will not be graduated unless they average at least 70 per cent.

Probationers receive no pay, but during the remaining months of the first year they receive five dollars (\$5.00) per month; for the second year seven dollars (\$7.00) per month; for the third year nine dollars (\$9.00) per month; these payments are for the purpose of meeting the expenses of uniforms, text-books, etc., but are in no wise to be considered as wages, it being considered that their education, during this time, is a full equivalent for their services.

Hours of duty for day nurses are from 7 A.M. to 7 P.M.; for night nurses 7 P.M. to 7 A.M. No nurse is required to do both day and night duty on the same day except in rare emergencies.

Each nurse on day duty is allowed one hour during the day

for rest and recreation, one-half day after 1 P.M. each week, and four hours on Sunday. Three weeks vacation with pay is allowed each year. If nurses are sick they are cared for in the hospital, but their allowances are stopped. Nurses on night duty are required to be in bed from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.

When the term of three years is completed, if a nurse passes all the examinations and is otherwise satisfactory, she receives a diploma certifying to the regular course of training and practice, together with a certificate attesting to the special course at the Boston City Hospital.

LECTURE

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| Ethics of Nursing | Lecture | 1. | C. H. Cook, M. D. |
| Symptomatology | " | 3. | C. H. Cook, M. D. |
| Temperature, pulse, respiration | " | 4. | C. H. Cook, M. D. |
| Surgical Anatomy | " | 2. | M. F. Burke, M. D. |
| Sepsis and Asepsis | " | 2. | M. F. Burke, M. D. |
| Anæsthesia | " | 1. | W. W. Walcott, M. D. |
| Surgical Emergencies | " | 1. | W. W. Walcott, M. D. |
| Fractures and dislocations | " | 1. | W. W. Walcott, M. D. |
| Bandaging | " | 1. | W. W. Walcott, M. D. |
| Personal Hygiene | " | 3. | C. H. Hills, M. D. |
| Diseases of the Stomach and Intestines | " | 1. | C. H. Hills, M. D. |
| Materia Medica | " | 4. | E. E. Sparks, M. D. |
| Bacteriology | " | 1. | Royal Hatch, M. D. |
| Care of Children | " | 10. | G. A. Bancroft, M. D. |
| Diseases of the Skin | " | 2. | E. A. Miller, M. D. |
| Diseases of the Ear | " | 1. | E. M. Holmes, M. D. |
| Nursing care of Insane | " | 2. | E. M. French, M. D. |
| Typhoid Fever | " | 2. | W. J. Cochran, M. D. |
| Bacteriology | " | 7. | W. H. Sylvester, M. D. |

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| Obstetrics | " | 4. W. H. Sylvester, M. D |
| Flat foot and foot strain | " | 1. W. R. MacAusland |
| Chemistry | " | 10 Prof. H. Carlton Smith |

Recitations are held each week from October until June.

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| Total number of recitations | 140 |
| Massage lessons | 8 |
| Domestic Science | 28 |

GRADUATES

1901

Miss Rose M. Dyer, private duty, Medford.

1902

Miss Alberta L. Morton, private nursing, Clementsport, N. S.

Miss Gertrude S. Newcomb, resident nurse, Walnut Hill School,
Natick.

Miss Elsie Boynton, private nursing, California.

1903

Miss Grace E. Colly, Natick.

Miss Mary Gallagher, married, South Hadley.

Miss Martha McKenzie, private nursing, Natick,

Miss Agnes E. Gorman, private nursing, Boston.

1904

Miss Sarah J. Campbell, private nursing, New York City.

Miss Minnie Edwards, private nursing, Natick.

Miss Martha Beal, private nursing, Natick.

1905

Miss Gertrude Jenkins, visiting nurse, Wellesley.

Miss Agnes O'Connor, private duty, New York City.

1906

- Miss Marguerite B. P. Jolly, private duty, Tacoma, Wash.
- Miss Laura Phinney, married, Springfield.

1907

- Miss Martha Walker, private nursing, Whitingsville.
- Miss Emily Stiles, married, West Somerville.

1908

- Miss Donaldena MacDonald, visiting nurse, Tacoma, Wash.

1909

- Miss Catherine Dacey, married, Natick.
- Miss Mary Loftus, visiting nurse, Winchendon.
- Miss Mary L. Miller, private nursing, Natick.
- Miss Agnes Kelleher, school nurse, Boston.
- Miss Valentine Hayden, private nursing, Calgary, Alberta.

1910

- Miss Minnie R. Phinney, private nursing, Springfield.
- Miss Ellen K. Powers, school nurse, Boston.

1911

- Miss Mary E. Burke, private nursing, Haverhill.
- Miss Harriet Domville, private nursing, Springfield.
- Miss Margaret Domville, private nursing, Springfield.
- Miss Hannah Duggan, private nursing, Boston.

1912

- Mrs. Blanche Day, married, Cherryfield, Me.
- Miss Theresa Kelly, school nurse, Boston.
- Miss Vasilike Fillides, private nursing, Boston.
- Miss Isabelle Hammond, private nursing, Natick.

1913

- Miss Mabel A. Cameron, Bay State Hospital, Boston.
- Mrs. Sarah Flemming Taylor, Arlington.

1914

Miss Etta W. Becker, private duty, Haverhill.

Miss Freda Coolidge, private duty, Natick.

Miss Maud Phinny, night supervisor, Leonard Morse Hospital.

Pupils remaining in the school:—

ADVANCED SENIORS

Miss Dorothy Ripley, Edgartown.

Miss Grace Ticknor, Calais, Maine.

Miss Harriet Goncher, Tarbrook, N. S.

Miss Florence Williams, Lawrencetown, N. S.

Miss Ethel Wheeler, Natick:

SENIORS

Miss Sadie MacDonald, Plymouth.

Miss Florence Neily, Tarbrook, N. S.

Miss Annie Bray, Holliston.

Miss Freda Lardfors, New Sweden, Maine.

JUNIORS

Miss Katheryne McConnor, Wellesley.

Miss Marion Shaffner, Middleton, N. S.

Miss Muriel Shaffner, Middleton, N. S.

Miss Hazel Woods, Manchester, N. H.

Miss Maryon Gerroe, ———, N. S.

PROBATIONERS

Miss Pearl Balcom, Lawrencetown, N. S.

Miss Elva Wile, Bridgewater, N. S.

We wish to record our grateful acknowledgement to the members of the Staff for lectures given the pupil nurses; also to E. G. Baum, M. D., for conducting the class in anatomy and physiology. E. M. French, M. D., Medfield. E. M. Holmes and W. R. MacAusland, M. D., of Boston, for lectures on special diseases.

Prof. H. Carleton Smith for instruction in chemistry and urinalysis.

Respectfully submitted,

JESSIE N. WOODBURY, R. N.,

Superintendent.

REPORT ON GYPSY AND BROWN TAIL MOTHS

The Local Commissioner herewith presents his annual report for the year ending December 31, 1914.

The year has been marked by three hopeful signs. First, the almost total destruction of the Brown Tail Moths. Secondly the marked increase in interest the citizens have shown, in having their shade and orchard trees sprayed, and thirdly the great increase in numbers of the Calosoma beetle that feeds on the gypsy moth.

A year ago this time, our trees were covered with the nests of the Brown tail moths, especially in the north near Lake Cochituate. For some unknown reason these worms died soon after they were hatched, and now our trees are almost free from nests. With care we ought to be able to destroy the few we have, unless some wind brings us another visitation of this pest.

Unfortunately the gypsy moth seems to be with us in as great numbers as ever, they seem however to be moving to the west and south and our neighboring towns to the north of us, Wayland and Weston which have suffered so much in the past, are greatly improved and it is to be hoped that the worms may keep on their travels and leave us undisturbed in time.

It is comparatively easy to keep our street trees and the residential part of the town in good order and if the owners will continue to co-operate in the work, we can keep the smaller places and orchards clean. The increase in numbers of citizens asking us to spray their trees is most encouraging and I hope that this interest will continue. The care of the wood lots is however

a most difficult problem, where the owners thin out the brush and remove dead wood and trash the task becomes easier, but in many cases, the owners are either unwilling or unable to bear the expense of such work. The task is then almost hopeless and we are forced to rely on parasites and beetles to do the work for us. Several parasites are said to have increased in numbers, noticeably one that feeds on the eggs of the gypsy moth, but I believe that we will have to rely mainly on the *Calosoma* beetle for aid. This beautiful beetle, larger than the common June bug, has a most tropical appearance with iridescent colors of red, green and gold. He not only in the beetle stage devours great numbers of the gypsy moth caterpillars, but later in life, when he becomes a dark slimy worm, does even more good in spite of his unpleasant appearance. I strongly advise all who look after their own burlaps, never to kill anything but the gypsy caterpillars. The burlaps are apt to be filled with many strange looking worms and beetles, most of them are harmless and there is always great danger of killing the *Calosoma* beetle, when he is not looking his best, as a small unpleasant looking worm.

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY S. HUNNEWELL,

Local Commissioner.

For the suppression of the Gypsy and Brown-tail Moths.

REPORT OF THE TREE WARDEN

The Tree Warden herewith submits his annual report for the year ending December 31, 1914.

The work of the Tree Warden varies but little as the years go by, each year brings a slight increase in the work, owing I hope to the greater interest the citizens feel for the Town trees.

Last Spring as usual about forty or fifty sapplings were planted, so many trees suffer during their first season from heat and draught that there are always a large number that have to be replaced. Many also, I am sorry to say are broken and injured by boys, or eaten by horses. During the summer the usual trimming and removal of dead wood was carried on, as it seems to be more economical to treat one section at a time, most of this work was done in Walnut Hill section.

A hopeful sign was the small number of Elm leaf beetles, this pest has apparently been diminishing for the last few years, and last summer I saw no signs of damage to the unsprayed elms in fields and pastures.

Respectfully submitted

HENRY S. HUNNEWELL,

Tree Warden

PARK COMMISSIONERS' REPORT

With an appropriation barely sufficient for maintenance, very little permanent work has been possible.

Lincoln Park, Washburn Square and the Common have all been well cared for; the grass is in good condition and the shrubs are healthy.

At the Town Park the number of visitors has largely increased, the new bridge from Maple Avenue making it easy of access. The walk from Pond Street was not constructed this season because of lack of funds.

At the bathing beaches an increased number have enjoyed its privileges and additions and improvements must be made to the bath houses if we are to enjoy the fullest benefit.

As an extra precaution against fire a telephone was installed at the residence of the care taker, Joseph M. Blandin, and a portable fire extinguisher added to the park equipment. A boat has also been provided for emergencies.

At Oldtown Park the beaches along the river have been sanded and at the Hunnewell playground a new back stop and benches have been erected on the ball field. Additional work is absolutely necessary at the Coolidge playground the coming season.

Coolidge park should be cleaned of underbrush and dead wood; walks should be constructed to the summit of the hill and seats placed at convenient spots. Now the resort of the disorderly, it would soon become popular as a pleasure resort for women and children.

The boundary lines of all park property should be defined

and properly marked. The discovery of considerable property the past year shows the necessity of this.

The Town house lot was put in charge of the Commissioners to fill and improve and has been put in good condition, grassed down, a rail for protection put on the East Central Street side and granolithic walks constructed on Church and Park Streets. This work was made possible from the appropriation by securing loam from proposed streets on the Park and Coolidge property at only expense of hauling and by the co-operation of the Selectmen in paying for a portion of the expense of ganolithic walks.

GEO. C. FAIRBANKS,

JAMES E. COOPER.

Commissioners.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

Edward P. Brennan, William E. Daniels and Edward A. Miller, Selectmen of Natick, Mass., assembled March 3rd, 1914, and organized as follows:

Edward P. Brennan, Chairman

William E. Daniels, Clerk

Edward A. Miller

Thomas J. Shea, Auditor, Assistant Clerk

Following were the appointments made for the ensuing year:

Police—Hiram J. Brown, Chief; Joseph Stone, Edward J. Murphy, James B. Sweeney, William J. Hogan, John A. Wardell, Patrolmen; Peter J. Nyland, Sunday Officer, South Natick; Clifford A. Daniels, Sunday Officer, Natick.

Fire Engineers—Thomas J. Deignan, George Heinlein, John E. Coleman.

Local Commissioner Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths—Henry S. Hunnewell.

Cattle Inspector—John W. Robinson, M. D. V.

*Burial Officer—Patrick Mahan, Daniel C. Felton.

Town Counsel—Francis B. Burns.

Forest Warden—Thomas J. Deignan.

Lockup Keeper—Hiram J. Brown.

Town Weigher—Edward F. McGrath

Dog Officer—Egbert A. Striksmā.

*Patrick Mahan resigned his position as Burial Officer

August 27th, and Daniel C. Felton was appointed to fill out the the unexpired term of Patrick Mahan.

Disbursing State and Military Aid and Soldiers' Aid—
*Patrick Mahan, Daniel C. Felton.

Registrar of Voters—Henry L. Mahan.

LICENSES

Auctioneers—C. W. Burks, Ralph V. Morrill, Forest N Adams, Ernest N. Burks, F. C. Perry, Everett S. Felch.

Common Victuallers—George Geragotelus, John Allen, Edward F. McManus, James McManus, Eugene Sweetland, Joseph L. O'Brien, John Doyle, Wyatt, Lee Reynolds, Edward H. Houlihan. Charles W. Matthews, John Q. Hoey, P. Edward O'Connor, Patrick V. Slamin, T. J. Slamin, Titus & Company, Frank H. Hurd, Jasper N. Perkins.

*Resigned August 27th.

LIQUOR LICENSES

D. P. Quirk & Co., A. F. Casavant & Co., Thomas F. Collins & Co., Burke & Co., John B. Bates & Co., T. D. Pendergast & Co., John H. Moran & Co., Brown & Flanagan, T. H. Simonds & Co.

Druggist Licenses—James E. Cooper, Frank B. Twitchell. John A. Donahue, P. A. Dolan, Hallett E. Jones, proprietor The Perry Pharmacy, Louis A. Clark, T. B. Everett, Hoey & Co.

Public Weighers—Edward F. McGrath, Mary J. Sullivan, Andrew Anderson, Peter Fair, Nettie W. Goulding, Frank B. Robinson, Charles F. Robinson, Clarence N. Howe, John M. Adams, Charles Pooke.

Measurer of Wood and Bark—M. V. B. Bartlett.

Appropriation Committee—Thomas Mulqueeney, John J. Ahern, Daniel Lucey M. F. Kennedy, John W. Brennan, George C. Fairbanks, Edward B. Dowd, Harry M. Ferguson, Timothy J.

Murphy, Charles Chamberlain, E. E. Gordon, Daniel J. Murphy, A. B. Pierce, Joseph T. Wignot, Frank J. McCullagh, John McCarthy, John Hannon, William L. King, Timothy F. Sullivan, Charles N. Sawin.

List of Jurors for 1914-1915

| | | | |
|----------------------|-----------------|---------------|-------|
| Ahern, John J. | Real Estate, | Natick, | Mass. |
| Atwood, Daniel | Shoeworker, | " | " |
| Augustine, George | Shoemaker, | South Natick, | " |
| Beatty, Patrick, Jr. | Policeman, | Natick, | " |
| Beatty, William H. | Laborer, | " | " |
| Belger, James E. | Baggage Master, | " | " |
| Bond, Fred | Clerk, | South Natick, | " |
| Brennan, Edward P. | Provisions, | Natick | " |
| Brown, Matthew 1st | Watchman | South Natick | " |
| Bullard, Edward W. | Shoemaker | Natick | " |
| Bunker, Frank H. | Agent | " | " |
| Cadorete, Noel E. | Shoemaker | South Natick | " |
| Carey Michael H. | Shoemaker | Natick | " |
| Caswell, Frank P. | Carpenter | South Natick | " |
| Cleland, William F. | Dry Goods | Natick | " |
| Creney, Dennis E. | Policeman | " | " |
| Clews, George | Carpenter | " | " |
| Clink, Richard A. | Carpenter | " | " |
| Clough, Harry W. | Clerk | " | " |
| Cohen, Cornelius | Shoeworker | " | " |
| Coleman, Daniel | Real Estate | " | " |
| Coleman, John | Shoemaker | " | " |
| Conant, Martin | Shoemaker | " | " |
| Conant, Herbert E. | Shoemaker | " | " |
| Connolly, Timothy J. | Shoemaker | " | " |
| Corrigan, Robert S. | Shoemaker | " | " |
| Conroy, James E. | Pool Room Prop. | " | " |
| Daniher, Patrick F. | Engineer | " | " |

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| Daniher, James M. | Shoemaker | Natick | " |
| Dealy, Eugene A. | Shoemaker | " | " |
| Delaney, Joseph P. | Policeman | " | " |
| Dempsey, James E. | Shoemaker | " | " |
| Dowd, Edward B. | Motorman | " | " |
| Dudley, Henry H. | Plumber | " | " |
| Dudley, William L. | Shoeworker | " | " |
| Fair, John R. | Shoemaker | " | " |
| Finn, Edward H. | Tobacco Store | " | " |
| Finn, William F. | Barber | " | " |
| Fleming, Willis N. | Carpenter | " | " |
| Gilmore, Frank H. | Foreman | " | " |
| Goddard, George N. | Clerk | " | " |
| Gow, George E. | Carpenter | " | " |
| Ginder, William | Carpenter | " | " |
| Gregg, William R. | Shoemaker | " | " |
| Griffin, Thomas J. | Clerk | " | " |
| Hanchett, George D. | Farmer | South Natick | " |
| Hall, Milton E. | Teamster | Natick | " |
| Hoffman, William | Shoeworker | " | " |
| Holbrook, Myron E. | Clerk | " | " |
| Hollis, Charles H. | Leather Cutter | " | " |
| Hoey, Charles H. | Druggist | " | " |
| Jennings, John E. | Real Estate | South Natick | " |
| Jennison, Charles A. | Painter | Natick | " |
| Johnson, Edward A. | Cutter | " | " |
| King, William L. | Motorman | " | " |
| King, Patrick H. | Painter | " | " |
| Knights, Ambrose D. | Teamster | " | " |
| Knowles, Alpheus P. | Electrician | " | " |
| Kopff, Charles L. | Painter | " | " |
| Linane, Patrick J. | Caretaker | " | " |
| Lincoln, Joel F. | Cutter | " | " |
| Mahany, Dennis J. | Barber | " | " |
| Mahar, Andrew | Clerk | South Natick | " |

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| Mahoney, John O. | Shoemaker | Natick | " |
| Manning, Michael J. | Teamster | " | " |
| McCarten, James P. | Clerk | " | " |
| McCordick, William H. | Policeman | " | " |
| McCullagh, Frank J. | Cutter | South Natick | " |
| McDonald, Stephen C. | Shoemaker | Natick | " |
| McGlone, James L. | Shoemaker | " | " |
| McGlone, Michael J. | Hotel | " | " |
| McGrath, Michael F. | Insurance | " | " |
| McGrath, James J. | Shoemaker | " | " |
| McGrath, James T. | Shoemaker | " | " |
| McLain, Alfred P. | Boxmaker | " | " |
| McManus, William E. | Shoemaker | " | " |
| Meagher, Thomas | Shoemaker | " | " |
| Minnock, John M. | Shoemaker | " | " |
| Mitchell, John S. | Shoemaker | " | " |
| Moore, Paul L. | Shoemaker | " | " |
| Moore, Herbert E. | Motorman | " | " |
| Moran, James A. | Shoemaker | " | " |
| Moyse, John B. | Harnessmaker | " | " |
| Mortimer, John | Laborer | " | " |
| Murphy, Patrick B. | Barber | " | " |
| Murphy, Patrick J. | Gardener | " | " |
| Naphen, William | Shoemaker | " | " |
| Oakes, Thomas | Shoemaker | South Natick | " |
| Oakes, William J., Jr., | Clerk | " | " |
| O'Donnell, Thomas F. | Conductor | Natick | " |
| O'Neil, Eugene | Laborer | " | " |
| O'Neil, Thomas F. | Trader | " | " |
| Powers, John H. | Shoemaker | " | " |
| Pulsifer, Edgar D. | Poultry | " | " |
| Quirk, Lawrence N. | Barber | " | " |
| Randall, Mark W. | Railroadman | " | " |
| Reiss, Clarence A. | Shoemaker | " | " |
| Rice, Charles E. | Conductor | " | " |

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| Robinson, Arthur W. | Clerk | Natick | " |
| Robinson, Walter B. | Coal Dealer | " | " |
| Saunders, George W. | Shoeworker | " | " |
| Schleicher, George W. | Shoemaker | " | " |
| Shannon, Luke | Shoemaker | " | " |
| Shea, Thomas J. | Bookkeeper | " | " |
| Sheehan, Daniel | B. & A. Signalman | " | " |
| Sheehan, Michael D. | Motorman | South Natick | " |
| Sheedy, Edward M. | Painter | Natick | " |
| Smith, Andrew F. | Shoemaker | " | " |
| Spruhen, James J. | Hostler | " | " |
| Sullivan, John W. | Janitor | " | " |
| Sutherland, George M. | Stitcher | " | " |
| Sweeney, James B. | Policeman | South Natick | " |
| Sweeney, Michael H. | Carpenter | " | " |
| Sweeney, Patrick D. | Motorman | " | " |
| Thompson, Alonzo A. | Teamster | Natick | " |
| Wardell, John A. | Shoemaker | " | " |
| Walker, Oscar S. | Shoemaker | " | " |
| Watts, Samuel | Farmer | " | " |
| Whitney, George F. | Manufacturer | " | " |
| Wignot, Joseph T. | Contractor | South Natick | " |
| Wilson, Ernest T. | Carpenter | Natick | " |
| Wilson, Edward H. | Trader | " | " |
| Yeager, Lawrence F. | Teamster | " | " |

We hereby certify that the above is a correct list of Jurors for the Town of Natick, Mass., for the year 1914-1915 as prepared and completed by us in accordance with law this 22nd day of June A.D., 1914.

EDWARD P. BRENNAN,
 WILLIAM E. DANIELS,
 EDWARD A. MILLER,

Selectmen of Natick, Mass.

Recapitulation of the Necessary Town Uses Account for the Eleven Months Ending Dec. 31, 1914

SELECTMEN'S DEPARTMENT

Office Expenses:

| | | |
|-----------------------|----------|----------|
| Printing and supplies | \$105.96 | |
| Cleaning office | 32.75 | |
| Lighting | 55.44 | |
| Telephone | 43.02 | |
| Carriage hire | 30.00 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| Total | | \$267.17 |

Incidentals:

| | | |
|-------------------------------|----------|------------|
| Printing Town Reports | \$695.12 | |
| Safes | 394.00 | |
| Expenses of Co. L | 362.50 | |
| Claims | 348.26 | |
| Sidewalk, Town House lot | 125.00 | |
| Whitney Brook | 53.28 | |
| Preambulating town boundaries | 60.00 | |
| Town pound | 50.00 | |
| Miscellaneous items | 139.78 | |
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| Total | | \$2,227.94 |

State reports \$50.00

Town Clerk's Department:

Postage and supplies: \$53.91

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|---|------------|----------|
| Recording fees | \$30.75 | |
| Pole locations | 46.00 | |
| | | |
| Total | | \$130.66 |
| Town Treasurer's Department: | | |
| Check protection | \$44.30 | |
| Books and supplies | 46.08 | |
| Telephone | 33.34 | |
| Postage | 84.17 | |
| Heating | 5.60 | |
| | | |
| Total | | 213.49 |
| Sinking Fund Commissioners: | | |
| Safety Deposit box rent | | 5.00 |
| Law: | | |
| Town Counsel | \$300.00 | |
| Tax Appeal Case | 194.85 | |
| Stone Tax Case | 100.00 | |
| Railroad fare hearing | 73.45 | |
| | | |
| Total | | 668.30 |
| Elections and Registrations: | | |
| Printing, posting warrants and supplies | 401.07 | |
| Sealer of Weights and Measures | 107.41 | |
| Dog Officer | 26.60 | |
| Forest fires | 370.60 | |
| Police Department | 66.24 | |
| Streets and highways | 160.50 | |
| Soldiers' benefits | 18.08 | |
| | | |
| Total necessary Town Uses Account | \$4,713.06 | |
| Appropriation | 4,800.00 | |
| | | |
| Balance | | \$86.94 |

TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

| | |
|---|------------|
| William O. Cutler, Town Clerk | 458.33 |
| Harry M. Ferguson, Town Treasurer | 1,237.50 |
| Harry M. Ferguson, Treasurer's Bond | 150.00 |
| Edward P. Brennan, Selectman | 275.00 |
| Edward A. Miller, Selectman | 229.16 |
| William E. Daniels, Selectman | 229.17 |
| David Finn, Assessor | 458.33 |
| Fred J. Lucey, Assessor | 458.34 |
| John H. Craig, Assessor | 458.33 |
| Charles L. Kopff, Overseer of Poor | 213.88 |
| Howard L. Moulton, Overseer of Poor | 168.06 |
| William Finn, Overseer of Poor | 168.06 |
| William McCordick, Board of Health | 91.67 |
| Thomas J. Maguire, Board of Health | 91.67 |
| Thomas F. Morris, Board of Health | 91.66 |
| Thomas J. Shea, Auditor | 287.93 |
| Arthur N. Robinson, Registrar of Voters | 125.00 |
| Micheal H. Sweeney, Registrar of Voters | 125.00 |
| Jeremiah Cohen, Registrar of Voters | 166.65 |
| William O. Cutler, Registrar of Voters | 125.00 |
| John W. Robinson, Cattle Inspector | 183.33 |
| Thomas A. Doyle, Provision Inspector | 275.00 |
| Patrick Mahan, Dispersing State and Soldier's Aid | 58.33 |
| Daniel C. Felton, Dispersing State and Soldier's Aid | 33.33 |
| Harry M. Ferguson, Treas. Sinking Fund Bond | 36.67 |
| Egbert A. Stricksma, Dog Officer | 55.00 |
| Charles Hollis, Sealer Weights and Measures | 150.00 |
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| Appropriation | \$6,400.40 |
| | \$6,400.40 |

PRECINCT OFFICERS

| | |
|----------------------------------|--------|
| March Election 1914 | 281.60 |
| State Primary September 22, 1914 | 143.90 |
| State Election November 3, 1914 | 274.50 |

| | |
|---------------|----------|
| | \$700.00 |
| Appropriation | 700.00 |

ASSESSORS DEPARTMENT

| | |
|----------------------|---------|
| Books and Stationery | \$24.85 |
| Janitor Service | 22.00 |
| State House Expense | 5.00 |
| Registry and Probate | 74.50 |
| Postage | 37.00 |
| Card System | 9.51 |
| Livery | 17.00 |
| Banker and Tradesman | 5.00 |
| Advertising | 10.00 |
| Printing | 18.50 |
| Telephone | 30.40 |
| Miscellaneous | 15.09 |
| Clerk to the Board | 458.33 |
| Poll Books | 185.00 |
| Filing Cabinet | 18.00 |
| Block and Map System | 500.00 |

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|----------------|------------|
| | \$1,430.18 |
| Appropriations | 1,433.33 |

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| Unexpended balance | 3.15 |
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RENT OF TOWN HALL AND OFFICES

| | |
|--------------------------|----------|
| Concert Hall | \$550.00 |
| Assessors | 143.00 |
| Selectmen and Town Clerk | 275.00 |

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|---------------------------------------|------------|------------|
| Overseers of Poor and Board of Health | 183.33 | |
| Treasurer | 68.75 | |
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| | | \$1,220.08 |
| Appropriation | \$1,220.08 | |

PARK DEPARTMENT

| | | |
|--------------------------|------------|------------|
| Labor | \$1,604.35 | |
| Material, supplies, etc. | 394.77 | |
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| | | \$1,999.12 |
| Appropriation | \$2,000.00 | |
| Balance | | \$0.88 |
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| | \$2,000.00 | \$2,000.00 |

COLLECTION AND ABATEMENT OF TAXES

| | | |
|------------------|------------|------------|
| Books | \$22.00 | |
| Abatements, 1909 | 117.08 | |
| “ 1910 | 453.77 | |
| “ 1911 | 1,220.96 | |
| “ 1912 | 3,797.95 | |
| Salary | 1,347.31 | |
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| | | \$6,959.07 |
| Appropriation | \$6,959.07 | |

STREET LIGHTING

| | | |
|--------------------------|------------|------------|
| Edison Electric Ill. Co. | | \$9,012.68 |
| Appropriation | \$9,012.68 | |

TREE WARDEN AND GYPSY AND BROWN TAIL MOTH

| | | |
|------------------------|------------|------------|
| Labor | \$4,702.42 | |
| Material and team hire | 1,849.72 | |
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| | | \$6,552.14 |

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|---------------|------------|------------|
| Appropriation | \$5,764.39 | |
| Credits | 810.60 | |
| Balance | | 22.85 |
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| | \$6,574.99 | \$6,574.99 |

EXPENDITURES OF POLICE DEPARTMENT FOR 1914

| | | |
|---|------------|------------|
| Salaries | \$5,102.50 | |
| Extra Police | 702.16 | |
| Sunday officers | 117.50 | |
| Vacation officers | 213.50 | |
| Lockup keeper | 45.83 | |
| Light, heat and water | 96.73 | |
| Telephone | 66.94 | |
| Carriage hire | 290.45 | |
| Miscellaneous | 290.75 | |
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| | | \$6,926.36 |
| Appropriation | \$6,926.58 | |
| Credits | 7.00 | |
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| | \$6,933.58 | |
| Balance | | \$7.22 |
| Illegal sale of liquor from Trial Justice Account | | \$273.00 |

SOLDIERS' AID

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|-----------------------------|------------|------------|
| Patrick Mahan, Disburser | \$2,261.71 | |
| Daniel C. Felton, Disburser | 1,222.26 | |
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| | | \$3,483.97 |
| Appropriation | \$3,700.00 | |
| Credits | 96.00 | |
| Balance | | 312.03 |
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| | \$3,796.00 | \$3,796.00 |

BURIAL OFFICER

| | |
|---------------|----------|
| Patrick Mahan | \$150.00 |
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STREET SIGNS AND POSTS

| | | |
|------------------|----------|----------|
| Edward M. Sheedy | | \$105.50 |
| Appropriation | \$200.00 | |
| Balance | | \$94.50 |
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| | \$200.00 | \$200.00 |

SUITS AND CLAIMS

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| J. E. Sweetland | | \$45.00 |
| Appropriation | \$45.00 | |

WINDING AND REPAIRING TOWN CLOCKS

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|-------------------|---------|---------|
| Henry M. Robbins | \$22.91 | |
| Frank E. Boardman | 22.92 | |
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| | | \$45.83 |
| Appropriation | \$45.83 | |

MEMORIAL DAY, G. A. R.

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| Daniel C. Felton | | \$325.00 |
| Appropriation | \$325.00 | |

INTEREST AND LIABILITIES

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|--------------------|-------------|
| Town Debt | \$11,600.00 |
| Sinking Funds | 9,000.00 |
| Temporary interest | 5,886.96 |
| Permanent interest | 5,434.75 |
| Sewer interest | 6,829.64 |
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| | \$38,751.35 |

Auditor's Report

I have examined the books and records of the several departments in the Town for the financial year ending December 31, 1914, and have compared same with the Treasurer's books and I have found all to be correct.

I have examined the books and the securities in the Natick National Bank of the Sinking Fund Commissioners and have found all to be correct. The Tax Collectors balances have been compared with the Treasurer's and are all correct.

Respectfully submitted

THOMAS J. SHEA

Auditor.

Report of Glenwood Cemetery Committee for 1914

The committee during the year issued a deed to Mrs. Azaline M. Hancock for lot number 172. Mrs. Hancock had a receipt for said lot dated July 14, 1885, and signed by J. B. Clark, one of the committee then in charge.

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| Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1914 | \$95.54 |
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| Received for sale of lot No. 111 | 20.00 |
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| Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1914 | \$115.54 |
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FRANK P. CASWELL,
M. V. B. BARTLETT,
JOSEPH T. WIGNOT,

Committee.

Natick, Mass., Dec. 31, 1914.

WARRANT

For Annual Town Meeting March 1st, 1915

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

MIDDLESEX SS.

To any Constable of the Town of Natick in said County:

GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify the qualified voters of said town of Natick to meet.

The voters of Precinct No. 1 in Concert Hall, Clark's Block, Natick.

The voters of Precinct No. 2 in School House Hall, South Natick.

MONDAY, MARCH 1, A.D. 1915

at 5.45 o'clock a. m., at which time in both Precincts of said Town of Natick, the polls will be opened and will remain open continuously until 4.30 p. m. of said day, when they will be closed, during which time the aforesaid qualified voters of said Town may bring in their ballots to the Election Officers, duly appointed and sworn for said Precincts of said Town of Natick, in said meetings so assembled, for

One Town Clerk, one Town Treasurer, three Selectmen, one Auditor, one Highway Surveyor, one Tree Warden and six Con-

stables, all for one year; also one Assessor of Taxes, one Overseer of the Poor, one Water Commissioner, one Sewer Commissioner, one Sinking Fund Commissioner, one Park Commissioner, two members of the School Committee and one member of the Board of Health, all for three years; also one Park Commissioner for one year to fill the unexpired term of Willard N. Hunnewell, resigned; also one Trustee of the Leonard Morse Hospital for seven years; also to answer by the Australian System of balloting the following questions:—

(1) “Shall licenses be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town?”

(2) “Shall chapter 807 of the acts of nineteen hundred and thirteen, being an act to provide for compensating laborers, workmen and mechanics for injuries sustained in public employment, and to exempt from legal liability counties and municipal corporations which pay such compensation, be accepted by the inhabitants of this Town?”

All ballots will be furnished by the Town and the election will be conducted according to the Australian system, as enacted in Massachusetts, and in conformity with the Election Laws of said Commonwealth.

You are further required to notify the aforesaid qualified voters of said Town of Natick to meet in Concert Hall, Clark's Block, Natick,

TUESDAY, MARCH 9, 1915

at 7.30 o'clock, p. m., then and there to act on the following articles:—

Art. 1. To choose by ballot a Moderator to preside in said meeting.

Art. 2. To see how much money the Town will grant for roads, bridges and culverts; for sidewalks and crosswalks; for assisting and maintaining the poor; for schools, school supplies and furniture, repairing school houses and evening schools; for the Fire Department and repairs to engine houses; for police and watchmen; for the support of the Morse Institute; for collection and abatement of taxes; for paying Town officers; for military aid and assisting poor soldiers, sailors and their families; for decorating soldiers' graves; for lighting streets and public places; for the use of the Park Commissioners; Board of Assessors and the Board of Health; toward the support of the Leonard Morse Hospital; for winding and repairing the Town clocks; for expenses of the Tree Warden including sums required for extermination of the gypsy and brown-tail moth; for rent of Town hall and office room for Town officers; for suppressing the illegal sale of intoxicating liquors; for forest fires; for necessary Town uses.

Art. 3. To act on the reports of the various Town officers as printed. Also to choose Fence Viewers and Field Drivers.

Art. 4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow on and after Jan. 1, 1916, in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning Jan. 1, 1916.

Art. 5. To see how the Town will have its taxes for the year 1915 collected, and choose a collector of taxes and fix his compensation.

Art. 6. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum not exceeding \$300.00 for the maintenance of evening classes in practical arts for women, under the provisions of Chapter 106 of Acts of 1912, or take any other action relative thereto.

Art. 7. To see what sum of money the Town will appro-

priate to carry out the purpose of Chapter 502, Acts of 1906 relative to the appointment of school physicians.

Art. 8. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for a reserve fund in accordance with Chapter 645 of the Acts of 1913, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 9. To see if the Town will authorize the Sewer Commissioners to extend the sewerage system in certain cases where, in their judgment, it is for the best interest of the Town so to do and authorize the Treasurer to borrow not exceeding \$3,000.00 for said purpose, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 547, Acts of 1913.

Art. 10. To see if the Town will authorize the Water Commissioners to lay pipes in certain cases where, in their judgment, it is for the interest of the Town so to do, and authorize the Treasurer to borrow not exceeding \$3,000.00, for that purpose under provisions of Chapter 354, Acts of 1910.

Art. 11. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of five hundred dollars for the purpose of extending the Block and Map System, so called, for the assessment of real estate, the same to be expended under the direction of the Board of Assessors.

Art. 12. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will appropriate for sprinkling the public streets, the same to be assessed upon the abutters under the terms of Section 22, Chapter 25 of revised laws, as amended, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 13. To see if the Town will vote to have the streets treated with oil or other bituminous materials, specify which streets shall be so treated, appropriate money to pay for same, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 14. To see if the Town will vote to repair or retreat with tar or oil that portion of East Central Street lying between

Main Street and Lincoln Square, appropriate money to pay for same, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 15. To see if the Town will vote to treat the surface of North Main Street, between Washington Avenue and Worcester Street, with tar or oil, appropriate money to pay for same or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 16. To see if the Town will vote to treat the surface of South Main Street, between Washburn Park and Rockland Street, with tar or oil, appropriate money to pay for same or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 17. To see if the Town will vote to repair the bridge over the Boston & Albany Railroad at Washington Avenue, appropriate money to pay for same or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 18. To see if the Town will vote to rebuild the sidewalk on the north side of East Central Street, between Mulligan Street and Hanchett Avenue, appropriate money to pay for same or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 19. To see if the Town will vote to rebuild the sidewalk on the south side of East Central Street, between Wilson Street and Union Street, appropriate money to pay for same or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 20. To hear and act on the report of the Committee appointed under Articles 25 and 52 at the last Annual Town Meeting in regard to the surfacing of Main and North Main Streets.

Art. 21. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate or borrow \$7,500.00, under the provisions of Chapter 719 of the acts of the year 1913 to construct a Bermudez Asphalt road from the Boston & Albany Railroad bridge to a point at or near

Charles Street, as recommended by the Committee, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 22. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will appropriate to repair Main Street from the Common to the Boston & Albany Railroad as recommended by the Committee, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 23. To see if the Town will vote to gravel Cross Street, appropriate money to pay for same, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 24. To see if the Town will vote to rebuild the cinder sidewalk on the southerly side of Cross Street, appropriate money for same, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 25. To see if the Town will vote to elect its Selectmen at the Annual Town Meeting in the year 1916, for terms of One, Two and Three years, respectively, one to be elected annually thereafter for a term of three years, as provided in Section 406, Chapter 835 of the acts of 1913.

Art. 26. To see if the Town will petition the Director of the Bureau of Statistics for an audit of its accounts in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 598, Acts of 1910, and amendments thereof.

Art. 27. To see if the Town will vote to repair and paint the North Natick Engine House No. 5, appropriate money to pay for same, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 28. To see if the Town will vote that the rate of wages to be paid town laborers employed in the Park, Sewer, Water and Highway departments, excepting drivers of teams, clerks and specially skilled labor, shall be not less than \$2.50 per day.

Art. 29. To see if the Town will vote to accept Whittier Road, so called, as the same has been laid out and filed by the Selectmen, appropriate money to pay for same, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 30. To see if the Town will vote to install the following street lights: one light on North Main Street near Bigelow Avenue, so called; one light on Second Street near the residence of James T. McGrath; one light on High Street near the residence of Lizzie Mahar; one light on Oakland Street near the residence of John Henderson; one light on Pitts Street near the residence of Edward V. Reiss; two lights on Fiske Street (West Natick) from the residence of P. J. McHugh to the first light; one light on West Central Street near the residence of Jerome Smith; appropriate money to pay for same or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 31. To see if the Town will vote to install the following street lights, in that part of Natick, known as Wellesley Park and Oaks; one light at the junction of Upland and Maple Roads; one light on Maine Avenue about 300 feet south of Worcester Street; one light on Oak Street at the corner of Rhode Island Avenue; one light on Oak Street near Orchard Road; one light on Massachusetts Avenue about 350 feet south of Worcester Street, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 32. To see if the Town will instruct the Sewer Commissioners to extend the Sewerage System on Park Avenue as far as the house of Thomas J. Damon, appropriate or borrow the sum of \$3,000.00 to pay for same, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 33. To see if the Town will vote to rebuild the wall of Pegan Brook near the corner of South Main and Walcott Streets appropriate a sum of money not exceeding \$125,00 to pay for same or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 34. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Sections 122, 123, 124, 125 and 126 of Chapter 102 of the Revised Laws with any amendments thereto, relating to smoke nuisances, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 35. "To see if the Town of Natick will vote to accept the provisions of Section 1, Chapter 104 of the Revised Laws, as amended, relative to the regulation of building construction within said town, or otherwise act thereon."

Art. 36. To see if the Town will adopt the following By-law: "No tenement house, as defined in Sec. 2, Chapter 635, Acts of 1912 (Tenement House Act for Towns), shall hereafter be erected exceeding two and one half stories in height, nor shall it be occupied, nor intended, arranged or designed to be occupied, by more than two families, unless of fireproof construction."

Art. 37. To see if the Town will vote to borrow or appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of an Automobile Combination Chemical and Hose to replace Hose No. 1 at the Central Fire Station, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 38. To see what action the Town will take, if any, with regard to the planting of shade trees, and to appropriate a sum of money not exceeding \$150.00 for this purpose in order that the Town may enter the Shade Tree Planting Contest conducted by the Massachusetts Forestry Association, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 39. To see if the Town will vote to construct an under drain, so as to carry the surface water from Jefferson Street to the south arm of Pegan Brook, appropriate money to pay for same, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 40. To hear and act on the report of the Committee

appointed under Article 9 of the Special Town Meeting held September 15, 1914, in reference to the acceptance of Nelson Street.

Art. 41. To see if the Town will vote to accept Nelson Street, so called, as the same has been laid out and filed by the Selectmen, appropriate money to pay for same, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 42. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will appropriate to build Nelson Street, so called, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 43. To hear and act on the report of the Committee appointed under Articles 7 and 8 of the Special Town Meeting held September 15, 1914, in reference to the acceptance of Water Street Extension, and the appropriation of money to put the bridge and approaches thereto, in a safe and passable condition.

Art. 44. To see if the Town will vote to accept Water Street Extension, as the same has been laid out and filed by the Selectmen, appropriate money to pay for same, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 45. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will appropriate to put in a safe and passable condition the bridge and approaches thereto on Water Street Extension, so called, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 46. To hear and act on the report of the Board of Health in reference to the construction of an under-drain on North Avenue, as referred to said Board, by vote of the Special Town Meeting held September 15, 1914 under Article 19.

Art. 47. To see if the Town will vote to construct an underground drain on the southerly side of North Avenue, from

Vale Street to the brook near the factory of the Brennan Boot and Shoe Company, appropriate money to pay for same, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 48. To hear and act on the report of the Committee appointed under Article 64 of the Annual Town Meeting held March 1913, in reference to the causeway on West Central Street.

Art. 49. To see if the Town will construct a conduit at the causeway on West Central Street 200 feet or more running on the line of the Brook to conduct the surface water and appropriate money to pay for the same, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 50. To hear and act on the report of the Committee appointed under Article 45 of the Annual Town Meeting held March 1913, in reference to the revision of the Town By-laws.

Art. 51. To see if the Town will adopt a code of By-laws prepared by the Committee on By-laws, or otherwise act upon the report of said Committee.

Art. 52. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money not exceeding \$300.00 for the erection of guide posts and street signs, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 53. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of \$1060.75 with interest and costs to reimburse the Boston & Albany Railroad Company for taxes paid for the year 1909, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 54. To see if the Town will vote to compromise the action brought against the Town for the recovery of the Collins Morse Farm by the devisees of Louisa M. Rockwood and heirs of Collins Morse, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 55. To see if the Town will vote to gravel Oak Street,

northerly from Worcester Street to Pine Street, appropriate money for same, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 56. To see if the Town will vote to extend the water system from West Central Street along Kendall Lane to the property of W. E. Newton, a distance of about 3200 feet and to authorize the Treasurer to borrow a sum not exceeding \$3,200 for said purpose in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 354 of the Acts of 1910, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 57. To see if the Town will install a Hydrant on Fiske Street, corner of Fairview Avenue, (Fairview Terrace) West Natick, appropriate money to pay for same, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 58. To see if the Town will vote to purchase an oil cart for the use of the Road Department, appropriate a sum of money not exceeding \$1,000.00 to pay for same, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 59. To see if the Town will vote to purchase a stone crusher for the use of the Road Department, appropriate a sum of money not exceeding \$2,250.00 to pay for same, or otherwise act thereon.

Art 60. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money not exceeding \$50.00 to re-imburse John Coffey for loss of wages caused by an accident while in the employ of the Town, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 61. To see if the Town will vote to build a gravel sidewalk on the westerly side of Rice Street, between North Avenue and Harvard Street Extension, appropriate money to pay for same, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 62. - To see if the Town will vote to construct a gravel

or cinder sidewalk on the northerly side of Union Street from the land of Jonn E. Jennings to the land of Hollis H. Hunnewell, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 63. To see if the Town will vote to repair or alter the old High School building, appropriate a sum of money not exceeding \$3,000.00 to pay for same or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 64. To see if the Town will vote to request the School Committee to open a school of the first five grades at Wellesley Park in the Community Building so-called, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 65. To see if the Town will vote to sell or lease the property known as the Little South School and authorize the Selectmen to execute, acknowledge and deliver in the name of and in behalf of the Town a deed or lease of said property, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 66. To see if the Town will vote to light the Streets from 5 a. m. to daylight from November 15 till February 15, and appropriate money therefor, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 67. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to install ten lights wherever they think necessary, and appropriate money for the same, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 68. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will appropriate to reimburse the estate of Ellen K. Stone for taxes illegally assessed and for land taken for sewerage system under Chapter 459 of the Acts of 1894.

Art. 69. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will appropriate to settle claims for damages pending against the Town in which claimants are willing to accept the sums recommended by the selectmen.

Art. 70. To see if the Town will vote to install two lights on Union street, as follows, one light near the residence of William B. Green, one light near the residence of Samuel Hunter, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 71. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to borrow or appropriate to lay open, construct and complete Eliot Street as ordered by the County Commissioners for Middlesex County, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 72. To see if the Town will vote to refund the money paid by Arthur C. Titus of Lancaster, N. H., for a poll tax assessed April 1, 1914, and paid under protest, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 73. To see if the Town will place a concrete curb at the corner of Washington Avenue and Summer Street, near the residence of Annie M. Horrigan, appropriate money to pay for same, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 74. To see if the Town will build an underground drain on Worcester Street, near Whittier Road and Oak Street, appropriate money to pay for same, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 75. To see if the Town will build a cement culvert over the south arm of Pegan Brook on Plain Street, appropriate money to pay for same, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 76. To see if the Town will build a cement culvert over the south arm of Pegan Brook on Lincoln Road, appropriate money to pay for same, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 77. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will appropriate to build a fence on the easterly and southerly sides of the lot used for storage by the Town and situated on South avenue, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 78. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of \$31.56 to reimburse Everett O. Fisk for one-half the cost of the sidewalk on the westerly side of High street, extending about one hundred feet southerly from the corner of Pond and High Streets, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 79. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to sell any or all of the real estate held in trust, known as the Collins Morse Estate, and to re-invest the proceeds of such sales in accordance with the provisions of Section 17, Chapter 719 of the Acts of 1913; and to empower the Selectmen to execute, acknowledge and deliver good and sufficient deeds for any or all of said real estate.

Art. 80. To see what action the Town will take to raise and appropriate \$700.00 for the George Washington Memorial Building, Washington, D. C.

Art. 81. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money not exceeding \$75.00 toward the construction of a fire observance station at Nobscott Hill, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 82. To see if the Town will vote to place the "Town House Lot," so called, under the control of the Park Department and to be subject to the rules and regulations of said department.

Art. 83. To see if the Town will vote to appoint a committee to investigate the conditions at the lockup and report at a future town meeting what repairs, if any, should be made, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 84. To see if the Town will vote that the rate of wages to be paid Town laborers employed in the Park, Sewer, Water, and Highway Departments, shall be not less than \$2.50 per day, or otherwise act thereon.

Art. 85. To hear and act on the reports of all committees chosen on town affairs, other than those previously provided for

in this warrant ; and to choose all necessary committees for the ensuing year.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof in the Post Office and Post Stations in said Natick and at the following public places in said Town, to wit : Entrance to Selectmen's Room and Street entrance to Concert Hall in Natick ; Engine House, South Natick ; Hose 4 House, Felchville ; and at or near the Shoe Factory of W. L. Felch, North Natick, seven days at least, before said March 1, 1915, also by causing an attested copy of said Warrant to be published once in the newspaper called "The Natick Bulletin," said publication to be two days at least before the day appointed for said meetings.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at or before the time appointed for holding said meetings.

Given under our hands this fifteenth day of February A. D., 1915.

EDWARD P. BRENNAN,
WILLIAM E. DANIELS,
EDWARD A. MILLER,

Selectmen of Natick.

A true copy attest

CORNELIUS P. McKEOWN,

Constable.

Natick, Mass., February 15, 1915.

Report of Committee Appointed at the Special Town Meeting Held September 15, 1914, in Reference to Water Street Extension

To the Voters of the Town of Natick:—

Your Committee appointed to consider the question of the Water Street Extension in South Natick, Mass., submits the following report.

At the suggestion of the Committee, the Selectmen requested the Massachusetts Highway Commission to examine the present bridge and approaches thereto, originally constructed by the Natick and Needham Street Railway. We quote the report received from the Commission—

“We will send you tomorrow blueprints (2 sheets) showing the plans of the present railroad bridge in South Natick on Water Street, and proposed new bridges. We recently had a survey made of this bridge and the approaches, and this plan is plotted from these notes. Estimates have been made for two types of bridge here: 1st—To use the present girders and abutments, and provide a 5-ft overhanging sidewalk. This gives a roadway width of 15-ft. It will be impossible to get a greater width of roadway without extending the abutments. The sidewalk appears to be necessary. 2nd—a bridge having a roadway of 20-ft. and a sidewalk of 6-ft. It will be necessary to widen the abutments for a bridge of this width. The sidewalk in this design is not overhung. The widening is shown on plan. It is proposed, for this bridge also, to use the present girders. Some reinforcement of these may be necessary.

It has been found that the grade must be higher for the narrow bridge with the overhanging sidewalk than for the other, because of difficulties in constructing a sidewalk outside the girders. The wide bridge enables us to obtain a better alignment of the roadway and bridge. The profile shows on the Dover street, southerly side a 6 % grade. This seems to be as steep a grade as should be used in a road of this character.

In the estimate for the narrow bridge appears an item for moving a boathouse on the easterly side of the road. If the wider bridge is adopted, it will probably not be necessary to move the boathouse.

Following are the estimates :

FOR THE BRIDGE WITH 15-FT. ROADWAY —

Concrete Floor and Wooden Sidewalk.

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| Earthwork | \$3,500.00 |
| Bridge | 1,700.00 |
| Moving Boathouse | 200.00 |
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| | \$5,400.00 |

FOR BRIDGE WITH 20-FT. ROADWAY —

Concrete Floor and Sidewalk.

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| Grading | \$4,000.00 |
| Bridge | 4,500.00 |
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| | \$8,500.00 |

You will notice in both of these estimates that the grading is a large part of the total cost, and cannot by any means be eliminated.

Yours truly,

Signed

A. M. LEVIS

First Assistant Engineer.

On September 4, 1914, the Selectmen recommended an award of \$4,600.50 for damages to the Middlesex & Boston

Street Railway, the present owners, for this bridge and approaches. Based on the figures as prepared by the Massachusetts Highway Commission, the cost for a 15-ft. and 20 ft. roadway would be as follows—

| | 15-ft. Street | 20-ft. Street |
|-------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Land Damages | \$4,600.50 | \$4,600.50 |
| Earthwork | 3,500.00 | 4,000.00 |
| Bridge (alterations) | 1,700.00 | 4,500.00 |
| Boathouse (moving same) | 200.00 | |
| | <hr/> \$10,000.50 | <hr/> \$18,100.50 |

It is to be understood that the amount for damages, as recommended by the Selectmen, is higher than has ever been suggested by any previous Board, and it is possible that this award might be reduced, if the Town should seize the property and have damages determined by the Courts, the majority members of the Committee believing that this cost will be considerably less through condemnation proceedings. The majority also believes that public necessity demands that the road be extended at as early a date as practicable, but, does not feel that the finances of the Town warrant the whole expense at this time.

We recommend:—

That the Town seize the property by condemnation proceedings, but that construction work on the bridge and approaches be deferred to a later date.

JOSEPH T. WIGNOT,
JOHN T. DONNELLY,

Majority of Committee.

The minority agrees with the majority as to the estimated costs of the 15-foot and the 20-foot street. It is recognized that there has been a persistent demand for this extension (as evidenced by the articles pertaining to the subject which have appeared in the warrants for practically every Town Meeting during the past few years) and it is admitted that this extension will be a benefit to a number of people, but, if constructed, Water

Street will probably never be as much of a thoroughfare as would be the case if it connected directly with the center of South Natick, where are located the stores, hotel, library, etc. There are numerous streets throughout the town much more travelled than this street can possibly be, which are suffering for repairs that cannot be made owing to the expense entailed.

Considering all of the above points and the further fact that we shall doubtless have an extremely high tax rate (possibly the highest) at a time of more severe business depression than has been known for at least a generation, it would seem that this extension was a luxury and one that could well be deferred to more prosperous times.

It is therefore recommended :—

That no action be taken on Water Street Extension at this time.

Respectfully submitted,

RALPH SWEETLAND,

Minority Member of the Committee.

February 15, 1915.

ASSESSORS' REPORT

VALUATION OF THE TOWN

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| Real Estate | \$6,395,775.00 |
| Personal Estate | 2,722,125.00 |
| December Assessment Real Estate | 20,000.00 |
| December Assessment Personal Estate | 81,400.00 |
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| | \$9,219,300.00 |

TOTAL VALUATION

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|----------------------------|-----------------|
| Land | \$1,911,900.00 |
| Buildings | 4,503,875.00 |
| Tangible Personalty | 840,025.00 |
| Intangible Personalty | 1,963,500.00 |
| Exempted Property | 537,416.00 |
| Property Owned by the Town | 1,440,600.00 |
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| | \$11,197,316.00 |

ASSESSED PROPERTY

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| Valuation 1914 | \$9,219,300.00 |
| Valuation 1913 | 8,897,150.00 |
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| Increase 1914 over 1913 | \$322,150.00 |

TANGIBLE PERSONAL PROPERTY

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| Horses, 462 | \$55,950.00 |
| Cows, 434 | 19,650.00 |
| Swine, 160 | 2,400.00 |

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| Fowl, 1,950 | 975.00 |
| Carriage Robes, etc. | 24,500.00 |
| Automobiles, 137 | 102,750.00 |
| Furniture | 29,000.00 |
| Stock in trade | 234,725.00 |
| Machinery | 370,075.00 |
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| | \$840,025.00 |

INTANGIBLE PERSONAL PROPERTY

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|---|----------------|
| Cash, Stocks, Bonds and all other taxable securities held by estates, trustees and individuals | \$1,963,500.00 |
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ASSETS AND LIABILITIES TO DETERMINE RATE

ASSETS

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|--|--------------|
| Tax on Real Estate | \$138,148.74 |
| Tax on Personal Estate | 58,797.90 |
| Poll Taxes, 3,241 at \$2.00 | 6,482.00 |
| Non-Resident Bank Tax | 423.36 |
| Anticipated Bank and Corporation Taxes | 9,000.00 |
| December, 1913, Assessment | 1,253.64 |
| Liquor Licenses | 10,131.00 |
| Miscellaneous Revenue | 2,000.00 |
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| | \$226,236.64 |

LIABILITIES

| | |
|--------------------------|--------------|
| Town Grants | \$156,013.26 |
| State Tax | 18,112.50 |
| County Tax | 9,932.91 |
| State Highway Tax | 345.56 |
| Non-Resident Bank Tax | 423.36 |
| Interest and Liabilities | 41,220.00 |
| Overlayings | 189.05 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$226,236.64 |

Tax rate \$21.60 per \$1,000.00.

ASSESSORS' CENSUS

| | |
|--|--------|
| Population | 10,967 |
| Precinct 1 | 9,629 |
| Precinct 2 | 1,338 |
| <hr/> | |
| Gain in population 1914 over 1913 | 357 |
| Dwellings | 2,070 |
| Number of Acres (estimated) | 8,176 |
| Polls Assessed | 3,241 |
| Persons Assessed, Poll Tax Only | 2,374 |
| Residents Assessed on Property Tax | 1,981 |
| Non-Residents Assessed on Property Tax | 393 |
| Total Assessed on Taxes | 4,705 |

WARRANTS COMMITTED TO TAX COLLECTOR

| | |
|--|--------------|
| Taxes levied as of April 1st | \$203,852.00 |
| Polls assessed September 11, 18, and October 19, | |
| 21, 24 | 44.00 |
| December Assessment 1914 | 2,190.24 |
| Excise Tax Boston & Worcester Street Railway Co. | 2,173.55 |
| Excise Tax Middlesex & Boston Street Railway Co. | 2,059.36 |
| Street Sprinkling Levy | 958.78 |
| Gypsy and Brown Tail Moth Levy | 1,181.05 |

STREET WATERING TAX

| | |
|-----------------------------|----------|
| Number of Abutters | 351 |
| Total number of linear feet | 37,289 |
| Price per linear foot | \$.026 |
| Amount of Tax levied | \$958.78 |

Board of Assessors,
 DAVID FINN,
 JOHN H. CRAIG,
 FREDERICK J. LUCEY.

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

For year ending Dec. 31, 1914

SIDEWALK ACCOUNT

Dr.

| | |
|---------------------------------------|----------|
| To amount uncollected per last report | \$234.98 |
| Since committed for collection | 75.00 |

\$309.98

Cr.

| | |
|---------------------------------------|----------|
| By amount paid H. M. Ferguson, Treas. | \$274.98 |
| By amount uncollectable Grant Street | 35.00 |

\$309.98

Account closed.

1909 ACCOUNT

Dr.

| | |
|---|------------|
| To amount uncollected per last report | \$1,841.99 |
| To interest collected since last report | 358.07 |

\$2,200.06

Cr.

| | |
|---------------------------------------|------------|
| By amount paid H. M. Ferguson, Treas. | \$1,715.10 |
| By abatements | 117.08 |

By release by reason of test case of
Middlesex & Boston St. R. R.

367.88

\$2,200.06

Account closed.

1910 ACCOUNT

Dr.

| | |
|---|------------|
| To amount uncollected per last report | \$4,398.40 |
| To interest collected since last report | 276.43 |

\$4,674.83

Cr.

| | |
|---------------------------------------|------------|
| By amount paid H. M. Ferguson, Treas. | \$1,805.46 |
| By abatements | 2,869.37 |

\$4,674.83

Account closed.

1911 ACCOUNT

Dr.

| | |
|---------------------------------------|------------|
| To amount uncollected per last report | \$9,455.34 |
| To interest collected | 565.25 |

\$10,020.59

Cr.

| | |
|---------------------------------------|------------|
| By amount paid H. M. Ferguson, Treas. | \$4,292.86 |
| By abatements | 1,220.96 |

\$5,513.82

By amount uncollected

4,506.77

\$10,020.59

1912 ACCOUNT

Dr.

| | | |
|---------------------------------------|-------------|-----------|
| To amount uncollected per last report | \$22,874.02 | |
| To interest collected | 793.68 | |
| | <hr/> | 23,667.70 |

Cr.

| | | |
|---------------------------------------|------------|-------------|
| By amount paid H. M. Ferguson, Treas. | 9,764.16 | |
| By abatements | - 1,382.35 | |
| | <hr/> | \$11,146.51 |
| Amount uncollected | | 12,521.19 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$23,667.70 |

1913 ACCOUNT

Dr.

| | | |
|---------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| To amount uncollected per last report | \$60,361.93 | |
| To interest collected | 851.99 | |
| Feb. assessment 1914 | 46.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$61,259.92 |

Cr.

| | | |
|---------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| By amount paid H. M. Ferguson, Treas. | \$27,907.03 | |
| By amount uncollected Dec. 31, 1914 | 33,352.89 | |
| | <hr/> | \$61,259.92 |

1914 ACCOUNT

Dr.

| | |
|------------------------------------|--------------|
| To amount committed for collection | \$205,991.83 |
| Excise Tax | 4,232.91 |

| | |
|----------------------------|----------|
| Sept. and Oct. assessments | 44.00 |
| Dec. 19, assessment | 2,190.24 |
| Interest collected | 106.15 |

\$212,565.13

Cr.

By amount paid H. M. Ferguson, Treas \$155,169.98

\$155,169.98

By amount uncollected

57,395.15

\$212,565.13

JOHN J. AHERN,

Collector.

Approved February 16, 1915

THOMAS J. SHEA

Auditor.

ANNUAL REPORT

of the

TOWN TREASURER

of the

TOWN OF NATICK

For the Eleven Months Ending December 31, 1914.

TREASURER'S REPORT

STATEMENT SHOWING THE BORROWING CAPACITY OF THE TOWN

| | |
|---|----------------|
| Valuation 1914 | \$9,219,300.00 |
| Average valuation of the three preceding years less abatements | \$8,833,427.00 |
| Debt limit at 3 per cent. of the average valuation of the three preceding years less abatements | \$265,002.81 |

STATEMENT SHOWING THE REVENUE AVAILABLE COMPARED WITH THE REVENUE RECEIPTS

| | REVENUE AVAILABLE | REVENUE RECEIPTS |
|---------------------------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| Taxes prior to 1914 | \$99,166.66 | \$48,275.15 |
| Taxes for 1914 | 212,143.38 | 155,244.98 |
| Bank and corporation taxes | 9,000.00 | 6,127.11 |
| Revenue credited to Departments | 16,484.77 | 16,484.77 |
| Other revenue | 12,131.00 | 13,933.12 |
| | <hr/> \$348,925.81 | <hr/> \$240,065.13 |

Condensed Statement of Town Debt January 1, 1915

(Schedule A.)

WATER DEPT. (Schedule B.)

| | | INSIDE DEBT LIMIT | OUTSIDE DEBT LIMIT |
|-------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|
| Bonds | \$115,000.00 | | |
| Notes | 41,600.00 | | |
| | <u>\$156,600.00</u> | | |
| Less Sinking Fund | 8,409.89 | | |
| | <u>Net Water Debt</u> | | \$148,190.11 |

SEWER DEPT. (Schedule C.)

| | | | |
|-------------------|-----------------------|-------------|------------|
| Bonds | \$225,000.00 | | |
| Notes | 79,400.00 | | |
| | <u>\$304,400.00</u> | | |
| Less Sinking Fund | 59,665.17 | | |
| | <u>Net Sewer Debt</u> | \$50,000.00 | 194,784.83 |

NEW HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING DEBT

| | | INSIDE DEBT LIMIT | OUTSIDE DEBT LIMIT |
|---|--------------|----------------------|-----------------------|
| Chapter 6 Acts of 1912 (Schedule D.) | | | |
| Bonds | \$99,000.00 | | |
| Notes | 3,000.00 | | |
| | <hr/> | | |
| | \$102,000.00 | 3,000.00 | 99,000.00 |

FELCHVILLE AND WALNUT HILL
SCHOOL DEBT

| | | | |
|---|-------------|--|-----------|
| Chapter 62 Acts of 1900. (Schedule E.) | \$27,000.00 | | |
| Less Sinking Funds | 14,808.56 | | |
| | <hr/> | | |
| Net Debt | | | 12,191.44 |

REFUND LOAN

| | |
|--|-----------|
| Chapter 57, Acts of 1896. (Schedule F.) | 52,500.00 |
|--|-----------|

GRADE CROSSING DEBT

| | |
|--|----------|
| Chapter 82 Acts of 1899 (Schedule G.) | 5,500.00 |
|--|----------|

OAK GROVE SCHOOL DEBT

| | | | |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--|
| (Schedule H.) | 500.00 | | |
| | <hr/> | | |
| Total Town Debt | \$106,000.00 | \$459,616.38 | |
| Less Net Resources. (Schedule J.) | 30,336.09 | | |
| | <hr/> | | |
| Net Town Debt | \$75,663.91 | \$459,616.38 | |

Town Debt in Detail

WATER DEPARTMENT

(Schedule B)

| | |
|---|--------------|
| Total amount authorized by Legislature | \$535,000.00 |
| Amount borrowed by vote of the Town to date | 513,300.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| Balance available | 21,700.00 |

BONDS AND NOTES OUTSTANDING ARE AS FOLLOWS:

| | |
|--|-----------|
| 5 Bonds \$1,000.00 each, due Oct. 1, 1915, and each year to 1921, inclusive, seven payments, interest 3½ per cent. | 35,000.00 |
| 3 Bonds \$1,000.00 each, due Oct. 1, 1922, and each year to 1928 inclusive, seven payments, interest 3½ per cent. | 56,000.11 |
| 9 Bonds \$1,000.00 each due Oct. 1, 1929, interest 3½ per cent. | 9,000.00 |
| 8 Bonds \$1,000.00 each, due January 1, 1930, interest 4 per cent | 8,000.00 |
| 7 Bonds \$1,000.00 each, due Jan. 1, 1931, interest 4 per cent | 7,000.00 |
| 1 Note, Natick Savings Bank, due Jan. 31, 1925, interest 3 1-2 per cent | 800.00 |
| 1 Note, Natick Savings Bank, due May 26, 1930, interest 4 per cent | 3,000.00 |
| 1 Note, Natick Savings Bank, due Jan. 31, 1937, interest 4 per cent | 1,700.00 |
| 1 Note, Natick Savings Bank, due Jan. 30, 1938, interest 4 per cent | 1,800.00 |
| 1 Note, Natick Savings Bank, due Dec. 26, 1938 *interest 4 per cent | 2,000.00 |
| 1 Note, Natick Savings Bank, due Dec. 26, 1938, interest 4 per cent | 4,000.00 |

SERIAL PAYMENT NOTES, CHAP. 354, ACTS OF 1910.

| | | |
|---|--|----------|
| 1 | Note, Natick Savings Bank, due Nov. 27, 1916, interest 4 per cent | 2,200.00 |
| 1 | Note, Natick Savings Bank, due Nov. 27, 1917, interest 4 per cent | 2,000.00 |
| 1 | Note, Natick Savings Bank, due Nov. 27, 1918, interest 4 per cent | 2,000.00 |
| 1 | Note, Natick Savings Bank, due Nov. 27, 1919, interest 4 per cent | 2,000.00 |
| 1 | Note, Natick Savings Bank, due Nov. 27, 1920, interest 4 per cent | 2,000.00 |
| 1 | Note, John B. Leamy, Gdn., due Nov. 27, 1921, interest, 4 per cent | 2,000.00 |
| 1 | Note, John B. Leamy, Gdn., due Nov. 27, 1922 interest 4 per cent | 2,000.00 |
| 1 | Note, Natick Savings Bank, due Nov. 27, 1923 interest 4 per cent | 2,000.00 |
| 1 | Note, Natick Savings Bank, due Nov. 27, 1924, interest 4 per cent | 2,000.00 |
| 1 | Note, Overseers of the Poor, due Nov. 27, 1925, interest 4 per cent | 2,000.00 |
| 1 | Note, Natick Savings Bank, due Nov. 27, 1926, interest 4 per cent | 1,500.00 |
| 1 | Note, Natick Savings Bank, due Nov. 27, 1926, interest 4 per cent | 500.00 |
| 1 | Note, Natick Savings Bank, due Nov. 27, 1927, interest 4 per cent | 1,100.00 |
| 1 | Note, Natick Savings Bank, due Nov. 27, 1927, interest 4 per cent | 900.00 |
| 1 | Note, Natick Savings Bank, due Nov. 27, 1928, interest 4 per cent | 2,000.00 |

| | | |
|---|--|--------------|
| 1 | Note, Natick Savings Bank, due Nov. 27, 1929, interest 4 per cent | 2,000.00 |
| 1 | Note, Natick Savings Bank, due Nov. 27, 1930, interest 4 per cent | 100 00 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | Total debt af the Water Department | \$156,600.00 |
| | Less Sinking Fund | 8,409.89 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | Net debt of the Water Department | \$148,190.11 |

SEWER DEPARTMENT

(Schedule C.)

| | |
|---|--------------|
| Total amount authorized by Legislature | \$350,000.00 |
| Amount borrowed by vote of the Town to date | 306,000.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| Balance available | 44,000.00 |

BONDS AND NOTES OUTSTANDING ARE AS FOLLOWS:

| | | |
|----|--|-------------|
| 50 | Bonds due July 1, 1915, interest 4 per cent. | \$50,000.00 |
| 50 | Bonds July 1, 1920, interest 4 per cent. | 50,000.00 |
| 50 | Bonds due July 1, 1925, interest 4 per cent. | 50,000.00 |
| 50 | Bonds due July 1, 1926, interest 4 per cent. | 50,000.00 |
| 25 | Bonds due July 15, 1926, interest 4 per cent. | 25,000.00 |
| 1 | Note, John B. Leamy, Gdn. due Sept. 8, 1915 interest 4 per cent | 335.00 |
| 1 | Note, State Treasurer, due Aug. 5, 1927, inter- est 4 per cent | 10,000.00 |
| 1 | Note, Leonard Morse Hospital, due Jan. 1, 1930, interest 4 per cent | 2,665.00 |
| 1 | Note, Natick Savings Bank, due Jan 31, 1930 interest 3 1-2 per cent | 5,000.00 |
| 1 | Note, Natick Savings Bank, due Dec. 20, 1930 interest 4 per cent | 2,000.00 |
| 1 | Note, Overseers of the Poor, due Jan. 31, 1931 interest 3 1-2 per cent. | 1,500.00 |
| 1 | Note, John B. Leamy, Gdn., due Aug. 10, 1931, interest 4 per cent | 3,000.00 |
| 1 | Note, Natick Savings Bank, due Jan. 22, 1932, interest 3 1-2 per cent | 1,500.00 |
| 1 | Note, Natick Savings Bank, due Jan. 22, 1932, interest 3 1-2 per cent | 2,000.00 |

| | | |
|---|--|----------|
| 1 | Note, Natick Savings bank, due July 30, 1932, interest 3 1-2 per cent | 7,000.00 |
| 1 | Note, Natick Savings Bank, due Oct. 24, 1933, interest 4 per cent | 8,500.00 |
| 1 | Note, Natick Savings Bank, due July 30, 1934, interest 4 per cent | 8,000.00 |
| 1 | Note, Natick Savings Bank, due Jan. 31, 1936, interest 3 1-2 per cent | 3,000.00 |
| 1 | Note, Natick Savings Bank, due Jan. 31, 1937, interest 4 per cent | 5,000.00 |
| 1 | Note, Natick Savings Bank, due Jan. 30, 1938, interest 5 per cent. | 5,000.00 |
| 1 | Note, Natick Savings Bank, due Aug. 3, 1938, interest 4 per cent | 5,000.00 |
| 1 | Note, Natick Savings Bank, due Dec. 26, 1938, interest 4 per cent | 3,000.00 |
| 1 | Note, Overseers of the Poor, due July 31, 1940, interest 4 per cent | 2,000.00 |
| 1 | Note, Natick Savings Bank, due Jan. 4, 1941, interest 4 per cent | 1,500.00 |
| 1 | Note, Overseers of the Poor, due Aug. 10, 1941, interest 4 per cent | 1,000.00 |

SERIAL PAYMENT NOTES

| | | |
|---|---|-----------|
| 1 | Note, Natick Savings Bank, due Oct. 30, 1915 interest 5 per cent | \$ 600.00 |
| 1 | Note, Natick Savings Bank, due Dec. 20, 1915, interest 4 per cent | 1,000.00 |
| 1 | Note, John B. Leamy, Gdn., due Sept. 8, 1915, interest 5 per cent. | 1,000.00 |
| 1 | Note, Natick Savings Bank due Oct. 30, 1916, interest 5 per cent | 600.00 |
| 1 | Note, Natick Savings Bank, due Dec. 20, 1916, interest 4 per cent | 1,000.00 |
| 1 | Note, John B. Leamy, due Sept. 8, 1916, | |

| | | |
|------------------------------------|---|--------------|
| | interest 5 per cent | 1,000.00 |
| 1 | Note, Natick Savings Bank, due Oct. 30, 1917, interest 5 per cent. | 600.00 |
| 1 | Note, John B. Leamy, due Sept. 8, 1917, interest 5 per cent. | 1,000.00 |
| 1 | Note, Natick Savings Bank, due Oct. 30, 1918, interest 5 per cent | 600.00 |
| Total debt of the Sewer Department | | \$304,400.00 |
| Less Sinking Fund | | 59,665.17 |
| Net debt of the Sewer Department | | \$244,734.83 |

NEW HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING DEBT

(Schedule D.)

| | |
|--|--------------|
| Amount borrowed by vote of the Town under Chap. 6, Acts of 1912 | \$110,000.00 |
| Amount borrowed by vote of the Town Dec. 29, 1913 | 3,000.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| *Total amount borrowed | \$113,000.00 |

NOTES AND BONDS OUTSTANDING

| | |
|---|--------------|
| 6 Bonds (5 Bonds \$1,000.00 each and 1 Bond \$500.00) due July 1, 1915, and each year to July 1, 1932 inclusive, eighteen payments, interest 4 per cent. | 99,000.00 |
| 1 Note, John B. Leamy, due March 2, 1915. interest 4 1-2 per cent. | 1,000.00 |
| 1 Note, John B. Leamy, due March 2, 1916. interest 4 1-2 per cent. | 1,000.00 |
| 1 Note, John B. Leamy, due March 2, 1917. interest 4 1-2 per cent. | 1,000.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| Total High School Building Debt | \$102,000.00 |

FELCHVILLE AND WALNUT HILL SCHOOL DEBT (Schedule E.)

| | |
|--|-------------|
| 1 Note, Natick Savings Bank, dated Sept. 1, 1903 and due Sept. 1, 1923, Felchville School House. | |
| Interest 4 per cent. | \$13,500.00 |
| Less Sinking Fund | 7,404.28 |
| | <hr/> |
| Net debt of Felchville School House | \$6,095.72 |
| 1 Note, Natick Savings Bank, dated Dec. 31, 1903, and due Dec. 31, 1923. Walnut Hill School House. Interest 4 per cent. | |
| | \$13,500.00 |
| Less Sinking Fund | 7,404.28 |
| | <hr/> |
| Net debt of Walnut Hill School House | 6,095.72 |
| | <hr/> |
| Total School House Debt | \$12,191.44 |

REFUND LOAN (Schedule F.)

| | |
|--|-------------|
| 10 Serial Notes, Trustees of the Leonard Morse Hospital, dated April 1, 1896, \$2,500.00 due April 1, 1915, and each year to April 1, 1924, inclusive. Interest 4 per cent. | |
| | 25,000.00 |
| 21 Notes, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, dated June 1, 1905 (\$1,500.00 and \$1,000.00) due alternately each year to June 1, 1935. In- terest 3 1-2 per cent. | |
| | 27,500.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| Total Refund Debt | \$52,500.00 |

GRADE CROSSING DEBT

(Schedule G.)

| | | |
|---|---|------------|
| 1 | Note, Natick Savings Bank, due Jan, 31, 1915. | |
| | Interest 3 1-2 per cent. | \$3,500.00 |
| 1 | Note, Natick Savings Bank, due Jan. 31, 1916. | |
| | Interest 4 per cent. | 2,000.00 |
| | Total Grade Crossing Debt | \$5,500.00 |

OAK GROVE SCHOOL HOUSE DEBT

(Schedule H.)

| | | |
|---|---|----------|
| 1 | Note, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, due Dec. 20, 1915. Interest 4 per cent. | \$500.00 |
|---|---|----------|

NOTES ISSUED IN ANTICIPATION OF
TAXES OUTSTANDING

(Schedule I.)

| | | |
|----------|--|-------------|
| Note No. | 87, Loring, Tolman & Tupper, dated March 26, 1914, due Feb. 18, 1915. | |
| | Interest 3.90 per cent. | \$15,000.00 |
| " " | 88, Loring, Tolman & Tupper, dated May 21, 1914, due March 18, 1915. In- terest 3.62 per cent. | 10,000.00 |
| " " | 89, Loring, Tolman & Tupper, dated May 21, 1914, due April 22, 1915. In- terest 3.62 per cent. | 10,000.00 |
| " " | 90, F. S. Moseley & Co., dated June 11, 1914, due May 5, 1915. Interest 3.58 per cent. | 10,000.00 |
| " " | 91, F. S. Moseley & Co., dated June 11, 1914, due May 26, 1915. Interest 3.58 per cent. | 10,000.00 |
| " " | 92, F. S. Moseley & Co., dated June 11, | |

| | | |
|--|--|---------------------|
| | 1914, due June 9, 1915. Interest 3.58 per cent. | 10,000.00 |
| " " | 94, Estabrook & Co., dated July 16, 1914, due June 23, 1915. Interest 4 1-8 per cent | 10,000.00 |
| " " | 95, Estabrook & Co., dated July 16, 1914, due July 7, 1915. Interest 4 1-8 per cent | 10,000.00 |
| " " | 101, Natick Five Cents Savings Bank, dated Oct. 26, 1914, due Sept. 22, 1915. Interest 6 per cent. | 10,000.00 |
| " " | 102, Natick National Bank dated Nov. 27, 1914, due Oct. 6, 1915. Inter- est 5.75 per cent. | 15,000.00 |
| Total Notes Issued in Anticipation of Taxes Out- standing | | <u>\$110,000.00</u> |

RESOURCES OF THE TOWN

(Schedule J.)

| | |
|--|---------------------|
| Uncollected Taxes, including Street Watering, Moth Suppression and Sidewalk Assessments | \$107,776.00 |
| Accrued interest on taxes | 4,069.55 |
| Due from Commonwealth of Massachusetts, State Aid for 12 months to Jan. 1, 1915 | 4,130.00 |
| Due from Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Burial of Soldiers and Sailors to Jan. 1, 1915 | 150.00 |
| Due from Cities and Towns account Poor Depart- ment | 1,646.33 |
| Cash on hand, excepting Trust Funds and New High School Building Account | 22,614.21 |
| | <u>\$140,336.09</u> |
| Less amount due on notes issued in anticipa- tion of taxes. (Schedule I.) | 110,000.00 |
| Net Resources | <u>\$30,336.09</u> |

Statement Showing the Excess and Deficiency
Account for the Years 1911 to 1914 Inclusive

EXCESS AND DEFICIENCY ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR 1911

| Accounts | Tax Levy | Revenue | Excess | Deficiency |
|---------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| Tax Collector | \$179,831.23 | \$179,831.23 | | |
| Special Town Meeting | | | | |
| Nov. 22, 1911 | | | | |
| (School Dept.) | 1,100.00 | | | \$1,100.00 |
| Bank and Corporation | | | | |
| Taxes | 5,100.00 | 8,952.55 | 3,852.55 | |
| Revenue Credited | 13,861.43 | 13,861.43 | | |
| Other Revenue | 28,850.00 | 4,625.57 | | 24,224.43 |
| Unexpended Balances and Overdrafts | 5,194.68 | 9,845.37 | 4,650.69 | |
| | <u>\$233,937.34</u> | <u>\$217,116.15</u> | <u>\$8,503.24</u> | <u>\$25,324.43</u> |
| | | | | 8,503.24 |
| Net Deficiency | | | | \$16,821.19 |

EXCESS AND DEFICIENCY ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR 1912

| Accounts | Tax Levy | Revenue | Excess | Deficiency |
|---------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|--------|--------------------|
| Tax Collector | \$187,977.71 | \$187,977.71 | | |
| Revenue Credited | 14,066.84 | 14,066.84 | | |
| Bank and Corporation | | | | |
| Taxes | 8,952.55 | 7,466.84 | | 1,485.71 |
| Other Revenue | 22,000.00 | 4,417.94 | | 17,582.06 |
| Unexpended Balances and Overdrafts | 6,820.66 | 6,305.20 | | 515.46 |
| | <u>\$239,817.76</u> | <u>\$220,234.53</u> | | <u>\$19,583.23</u> |

EXCESS AND DEFICIENCY ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR 1913

| Accounts | Tax Levy | Revenue | Excess | Deficiency |
|---------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Tax Collector | \$233,300.56 | \$233,300.56 | | |
| Revenue Credited | \$15,372.69 | 15,372.69 | | |
| Bank and Corporation Taxes | 9,000.00 | 7,496.47 | | \$1,503.53 |
| Other Revenue | | 4,570.51 | \$4,570.51 | |
| Unexpended Balances and Overdrafts | 7,095.30 | 8,986.15 | 1,890.85 | |
| | <u>\$264,768.55</u> | <u>\$269,726.38</u> | <u>\$6,461.36</u> | <u>\$1,503.53</u> |
| | | | 1,503.53 | |
| Net Excess | | | <u>4,957.83</u> | |

EXCESS AND DEFICIENCY ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR 1914

| Accounts | Tax Levy | Revenue | Excess | Deficiency |
|--|---------------------|---------------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| Tax Collector | \$212,143.38 | \$212,143.38 | | |
| Special Town Meeting Sept. 15, 1914 | 4,125.90 | | | 4,125.90 |
| Special Town Meeting Dec. 2, 1914 | 2,200.00 | | | 2,200.00 |
| Bank and Corporation Taxes | 9,000.00 | 6,127.11 | | 2,872.89 |
| Other Revenue | 12,131.00 | 13,933.12 | 1,802.12 | |
| Revenue Credited | 16,484.77 | 16,484.77 | | |
| Unexpended Balances and Overdrafts | 150.00 | 11,555.14 | 11,405.14 | |
| | <u>\$256,235.05</u> | <u>\$260,243.52</u> | <u>\$13,207.26</u> | <u>\$9,198.79</u> |
| | | | 9,198.79 | |
| Net Excess | | | <u>\$4,008.47</u> | |

Consolidated Cash Statement

(Schedule 1)

RECEIPTS

| | |
|--|--------------|
| Receipts during the year for town purposes, Schedule 3 at (a) | \$240,065.13 |
| Receipts during the year for other than town purposes, Schedule 3 at (b) | 231,984.88 |
| Balance on hand Feb. 1, 1914 | 17,066.62 |
| | <hr/> |
| Total Receipts for the year (Schedule 3) | \$489,116.63 |

PAYMENTS

| | |
|--|-------------|
| Payments during the year for town purposes, Schedule 4 at (a) | 244,679.91 |
| Payments during the year for other than town purposes, Schedule 4 at (b) | 221,822.51 |
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| Total Payments for the year (Schedule 4) | 466,502.42 |
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| Balance on hand January 1, 1915 | \$22,614.21 |

BALANCES ARE AS FOLLOWS.

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| Balance of General Account | 21,350.77 |
| Balance of Trial Justice Account | 1,062.60 |
| Balance of Tailings Account | 200.84 |
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| Total balance on hand January 1, 1915 | \$22,614.21 |

Receipts in Detail

(Schedule 2)

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| Feb. | 1 | Balance on hand as per last report | \$17,066.62 |
| | 11 | Edward P. Brennan, rent of Collins Morse estate | 15.00 |
| | 13 | Town of Framingham, credit Poor Department | 17.67 |
| | 14 | H. I. Dallman Co., credit Morse Inst. | 2.00 |
| | 18 | City of Marlboro, credit Soldiers Relief | 96.00 |
| | 21 | City of Fall River, credit Poor Dept. | 130.12 |
| | 27 | Sarah E. Campbell, rent of East Cen- tral Street Land | 84.00 |
| March | 2 | Natick National Bank, interest for January | 5.48 |
| | 12 | County Treasurer, Reimbursement for Dog account | 16.00 |
| | 17 | John J. Ahern, taxes 1912 account | 4,122.94 |
| | 17 | Town of Leicester, credit Poor Dept. | 11.00 |
| | 18 | Natick National Bank, interest for Feb. | 1.81 |
| | 1 | Charles W. Burks, Auctioneer's Li- cense | 2.00 |
| | 20 | B. J. Carroll, receipts Town Farm | 141.90 |
| | 21 | State Treasurer, Credit Bank and Cor- poration, Taxes | 15.02 |
| | 26 | John J. Ahern, taxes 1913 account | 481.89 |
| | 26 | Natick Five Cents Savings Bank, Note No. 84; anticipation of taxes | 15,000.00 |
| | 26 | Town of Wayland, credit Board of Health | 179.31 |

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| | 26 | Loring, Tolman & Tupper, Note No. 85, Anticipation of Taxes | 15,000.00 |
| | 26 | Loring, Tolman & Tupper, Note No. 86, Anticipation of Taxes | 15,000.00 |
| | 26 | Loring, Tolman & Tupper, Note No. 87, Anticipation of Taxes | 15,000.00 |
| | 27 | Town of Dover, credit Fire Dept. | 160.00 |
| | 27 | Natick Board of Health, credit Poor Dept. | 120.01 |
| April | 2 | Francis C. Perry, Auctioneer's License | 2.00 |
| | 6 | M. F. Kennedy, Trial Justice, Trial Justice account | 52.76 |
| | 10 | B. J. Carroll, credit Poor Department | 263.85 |
| | 16 | Natick Fire Dept., credit Fire Dept. | 20.00 |
| | 16 | John J. Ahern, Taxes 1913 account | 706.36 |
| | 23 | Daniel P. Quirk & Co., Fourth Class License | 1,500.00 |
| | 23 | Ralph V. Morrill, Auctioneer's License | 2.00 |
| | 24 | T. D. Prendergast & Co., First Class License | 1,500.00 |
| | 27 | John J. Ahern, Taxes 1913 account | 559.72 |
| | 27 | J. H. Bates & Co., First Class License | 1,500.00 |
| | 27 | John J. Doyle, Lunch Cart License | 50.00 |
| | 28 | J. H. Moran & Co., Fourth Class License | 1,500.00 |
| | 28 | Abram Coopersmith, Junk Collector License for year 1913 | 15.00 |
| | 30 | James E. Conroy, Pool License | 3.00 |
| | 30 | Natick National Bank, interest for March | 21.86 |
| | 30 | A. F. Casavant & Co., First Class License | 1,500.00 |
| | 30 | Burke & Co., First Class License | 1,500.00 |
| | 30 | T. F. Collins & Co., First Class License | 1,500.00 |

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| | 30 | T. H. Simonds & Co., First Class License | 1,500.00 |
| | 30 | Brown & Flanagan, First Class License | 1,500.00 |
| May | 1 | Jacob Halperin, Junk Collector's License | 15.00 |
| | 1 | B. J. Carroll, Credit Poor Dept. | 157.53 |
| | 2 | J. Silver, Junk Collector's License | 15.00 |
| | 2 | Louis Mordis, Junk Collector's License | 15.00 |
| | 5 | Mrs. Ida A. Brooks, Lunch Cart License | 50.00 |
| | 5 | M. Russin, Wholesale Junk License | 15.00 |
| | 6 | Everett S. Felch, Auctioneer's License | 2.00 |
| | 6 | State Treasurer, Independent Industrial Schools | 445.86 |
| | 11 | John J. Ahern, Taxes 1913 account | 4,130.54 |
| | 14 | Edison Elec. Ill. Co., credit Street Lighting | 200.00 |
| | 18 | John J. Ahern, Taxes 1913 account | 699.33 |
| | 22 | M. Mordis, Junk Collector's License | 15.00 |
| | 23 | Town of Wellesley, credit Fire Department | 90.00 |
| | 23 | State Treasurer, credit Poor Department | 34.00 |
| | 26 | John J. Ahern, Taxes 1913 account | 108.49 |
| | 28 | Abraham Coopersmith, Junk Collector's License for 1914 | 15.00 |
| | 28 | Loring, Tolman & Tupper Note No. 88, Anticipation Taxes | 10,000.00 |
| | 28 | Loring, Tolman & Tupper Note No. 89, Anticipation Taxes | 10,000.00 |
| | 29 | Timothy D. Prendergast, Pool License | 3.00 |
| | | Thomas B. Everett, Druggist License | 1.00 |
| | | John A. Donahoe, Druggist License | 1.00 |
| | | Frank B. Twitchell, Druggist License | 1.00 |
| | | Louis E. Clark, Druggist License | 1.00 |

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| May 29 | Hallett E. Jones, Druggist License | 1.00 |
| | P. Arthur Dolan, Druggist License | 1.00 |
| | James E. Cooper, Druggist License | 1.00 |
| | Hoey & Co., Druggist License | 1.00 |
| | Thomas B. Everett, Adv. License | 2.00 |
| | John A. Donahoe, Adv. License | 2.00 |
| | Frank B. Twitchell, Adv. License | 2.00 |
| | Louis E. Clark, Adv. License | 2.00 |
| | Hallett E. Jones, Adv. License | 2.00 |
| | P. Arthur Dolan, Adv. License | 2.00 |
| | James E. Cooper, Adv. License | 2.00 |
| | Hoey & Co., Adv. License | 2.00 |
| | Hoey & Co., Adv. for transfer | 2.00 |
| | D. P. Quirk & Co., Advertising License | 2.00 |
| | J. B. Bates & Co., Advertising License | 2.00 |
| | J. H. Moran & Co., Advertising License | 2.00 |
| | A. F. Cassavant & Co., Advertising License | 2.00 |
| | Burke & Co., Advertising License | 2.00 |
| | T. F. Collins & Co., Advertising License | 2.00 |
| | T. D. Prendergast & Co., Advertising Licenses | 2.00 |
| | T. H. Simonds & Co., Advertising License | 2.00 |
| | Brown & Flannigan, Advertising License | 2.00 |
| | J. Cohen & Co., Advertising License | 2.00 |
| | P. F. Doherty & Co., Advertising License | 2.00 |
| | T. H. Gavin & Co., Advertising License | 2.00 |
| | Ayers & Keating, Advertising License | 2.00 |
| | Sweeney & Bierne, Advertising License | 2.00 |
| | L. Coughlin & Co., Advertising License | 2.00 |
| | Kirby & Meagher, Advertising License | 2.00 |

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| | | Slamin & Co., Advertising License | 2.00 |
| | | J. B. Bates & Co., Advertising Transfer | 2.00 |
| | | A. F. Cassavant & Co., Advertising Transfer | 2.00 |
| | | T. D. Prendergast & Co., Advertising Transfer | 2.00 |
| | | B. J. Carroll, Credit Poor Department | 166.20 |
| | | Natick Nat'l. Bank, Interest for April | 55.06 |
| June | 3 | John J. Ahern, Taxes 1913 Account | 922.94 |
| | 8 | Charles H. Hollis, Fees, Sealer of Weights and Measures | 37.54 |
| | 10 | John J. Ahern, Taxes 1913 Account | 470.23 |
| | 11 | Edward P. Brennan, Circus License Fee | 25.00 |
| | 13 | Thomas F. Morris, credit Board of Health | 23.50 |
| | 18 | Edward P. Brennan, credit Collins Morse Estate | 20.00 |
| | 18 | F. S. Moseley, Anticipation of Taxes, Note No. 90 | 10,000.00 |
| | 18 | F. S. Moseley, Anticipation of Taxes, No. 91 | 10,000.00 |
| | 18 | F. S. Moseley, Anticipatton of Taxes, Note No. 92 | 10,000.00 |
| | 20 | Town of Wellesley, Credit School Department | 39.00 |
| | 23 | Orient Spray Co., credit School De- partment | 16.45 |
| | 30 | Thomas Deignan, Fire Works License Credit Fire Department | 17.50 |
| | 30 | Natick National Bank, Interest for May | 35.73 |
| | 25 | Natick National Bank, Anticipation of Taxes, Note No. 93 | 15,000.00 |

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| July | 2 | Charles H. Hollis, Fees, Sealer of Weights and Measures | 57.21 |
| | 3 | B. J. Carroll, Credit Poor Department | 278.54 |
| | 10 | M. F. Kennedy, Trial Justice, Credit Trial Justice Account | 48.34 |
| | 10 | Thomas F. Morris, Credit Board of Health | 5.40 |
| | 14 | P. F. Hallinan, Supt. Credit Sewer Department | 2,500.00 |
| | 14 | John J. Ahern, Taxes 1913 Account | 2,894.74 |
| | 16 | George W. Travis, Supt., credit Water Department | 7,135.46 |
| | 22 | Estabrook & Co., Note No. 94, Antic- ipation of Taxes | 10,000.00 |
| | 22 | Estabrook & Co., Note No. 95, antic- ipation of Taxes | 10,000.00 |
| | 27 | John J. Ahern, Taxes, 1909 Account | 201.56 |
| | 27 | John J. Ahern, Taxes 1910 Account | 217.72 |
| | 27 | John J. Ahern, Taxes 1911 Account | 483.61 |
| | 29 | Wm. O. Cutler, Check list for Wm. F. Garcelon | 3.00 |
| | 30 | County Commissioners, Reimburse- ment for Dog Account | 18.00 |
| | 31 | Natick National Bank, Interest for June 1914 | 20.77 |
| Aug. | 4 | B. J. Carroll, credit Poor Department | 212.82 |
| | 5 | Jehn J. Ahern, Taxes, 1913 Account | 2,058.91 |
| | 6 | Charles H. Hollis, Fees, Sealer of Weights and Measures | 9.64 |
| | 7 | City of Boston, Credit School Dept. | 8.00 |
| | 11 | William F. Finn, credit Poor Dep't | 85.00 |
| | 13 | State Treasurer, credit Poor Dep't | 60.07 |
| | 15 | Natick Nat'l Bank, interest for July | 4.77 |
| | 18 | John J. Ahern, taxes 1913 Acc't | 1,735.59 |

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| Aug. | 25 | Orient Spray Co., credit School Dep't | 16.45 |
| | 27 | John J. Ahern, taxes 1911 Acc't | 965.72 |
| | 27 | P. F. Hallinan, Supt., receipts of Sewer Dep't | 2,000.00 |
| | 27 | Forrest N. Adams, Auctioneers License | 2.00 |
| | 26 | George W. Travis, Supt., receipts of Wster Dep't | 6,640.59 |
| Sept. | 4 | B. J. Carroll, credit Poor Dep't | 290.15 |
| | 8 | Edgar L. Willard, tuition of Helen Nutt, Fram. | 15.00 |
| | 8 | John B. Leamy, Gdn., Sewer Notes No. 96 and 97 | 1,335.00 |
| | 8 | John B. Leamy, Sewer Notes No. 98 and 99 | 2,000.00 |
| | 8 | John J. Ahern, taxes 1914 Acc't | 5,763.24 |
| | 9 | Henry S. Hunnewell, credit Gypsy Moth Acc't | 202.74 |
| | 15 | John J. Ahern, taxes 1914 Account | 6,070.48 |
| | 22 | John J. Ahern, taxes 1914 Account | 4,584.50 |
| | 24 | Wm. J. Oakes, credit Stable Acc't Road Dep't | 15.00 |
| | 25 | John J. Ahern, taxes 1914 Acc't | 1,335.90 |
| | 28 | John J. Ahern, taxes 1914 Acc't | 2,063.89 |
| | 29 | Edgar L. Willard, Supt., Account of School Department | 8.00 |
| | 29 | Natick Board of Health, credit Poor Department | 16.41 |
| Oct. | 1 | John J. Ahern, taxes 1914 account | 14,000.00 |
| | 1 | Natick National Bank, interest for August | 4.77 |
| | 1 | Henry S. Hunnewell, credit Gypsy Moth Dep't | 244.38 |

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| Oct. | 1 | Charles H. Hollis, fees, Sealer of Weights and Measures | 6.99 |
| | 2 | Wm. J. Oakes, credit Shoeing & Re- pairs Acc't Road Department | 20.00 |
| | 5 | John J. Ahern, taxes 1914 Acc't | 2,286.88 |
| | 5 | B. J. Carroll, credit Poor Dep't | 280.65 |
| | 5 | Sinking Fund Commissioners, credit Sinking Fund Acc't | 3,900.00 |
| | 7 | John J. Ahern, taxes 1914 account | 2,694.37 |
| | 9 | John J. Ahern, taxes 1914 account | 10,700.00 |
| | 9 | Michael F. Kennedy, Trial Justice, credit Trial Justice account | 67.62 |
| | 13 | Forrest N. Adams, Trial Justice, credit Trial Justice account | 5.65 |
| | 14 | John J. Ahern, taxes 1914 account | 2,356.54 |
| | 14 | Natick Five Cents Savings Bank, Note No. 100, anticipation of taxes | 10,000.00 |
| | 19 | John J. Ahern, taxes 1914 account | 3,147.14 |
| | 27 | John J. Ahern, taxes 1914 account | 5,300.00 |
| | 30 | Natick Five Cents Savings Bank Note No. 101, anticipation of taxes | 10,000.00 |
| Nov. | 2 | Natick National Bank, interest for September | 4.16 |
| | 2 | B. J. Carroll, credit Poor Department | 200.00 |
| | 3 | Henry S. Hundewell, credit Gypsy Moth Department | 124.83 |
| | 4 | John J. Ahern, taxes 1914 account | 41,762.21 |
| | 10 | John J. Ahern, taxes 1913 account | 6,227.13 |
| | 10 | Sinking Fund Commissioners, credit Sinking Fund account | 1,100.00 |
| | 16 | State Treasurer, Public Service Cor- poration Tax | 2,935.84 |
| | 16 | State Treasurer, Business Corporation Tax | 858.70 |
| | 16 | State Treasurer, National Bank Tax | 725.76 |

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| Nov. | 16 | State Treasurer, County & Corporation Tax | 530.91 |
| | 16 | State Treasurer, Street Railway Tax | 1,415.91 |
| | 16 | State Treasurer, State Aid Acc't | 4,238.00 |
| | 16 | State Treasurer, Military Aid | 30.00 |
| | 16 | State Treasurer, Tuition of Children, credit School Department | 750.50 |
| | 16 | State Treasurer, support of sick paupers, credit Poor Department | 9.00 |
| | 16 | State Treasurer, aiding Mothers with dependent children, credit Poor Department | 8.00 |
| | 17 | Natick National Bank, interest for October | 12.38 |
| | 17 | Aster Keroku, Pool License | 3.00 |
| | 20 | John J. Ahern, taxes 1914 account | 4,710.23 |
| | 20 | Nellie V. Leary, release on tax title, Fair View Terrace, Lot No. 30 | 5.49 |
| | 24 | John J. Ahern, taxes 1914 account | 915.74 |
| | 27 | Natick Sinking Fund Commissioners, Note No. 73, credit Water Sinking Fund account | 600.00 |
| | 27 | Natick National Bank. Note No. 102, anticipation of taxes | 15,000.00 |
| | 28 | Edgar L. Willard, Supt., Acc't of School Department | 8.00 |
| Dec. | 1 | John J. Ahern, taxes 1914 account | 17,909.55 |
| | 1 | Post Publishing Co., furnishing Check List | 3.00 |
| | 1 | William O. Cutler, interest on Town Clerk's bank account | 2.08 |
| | 2 | E. A. Willard, Supt., rent of High School Hall | 10.00 |
| | 4 | Natick Fire Dep't, credit Fire Department | 63.70 |

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| Dec. | 4 | State Treasurer, credit Bank & Corp. Taxes | 175.83 |
| | 4 | William J. Oakes, Supt., credit Morse Street, drain | 36.00 |
| | 7 | B. J. Carroll, credit Poor Department | 183.05 |
| | 8 | Natick Nat'l Bank interest for November | 40.88 |
| | 15 | John J. Ahern, Excise Tax 1914 | 4,232.91 |
| | 15 | John J. Ahern, taxes 1911 account | 1,456.00 |
| | 15 | John J. Ahern, taxes 1912 account | 3,800.00 |
| | 15 | John J. Ahern, taxes 1913 account | 3,300.00 |
| | 15 | John J. Ahern, taxes 1914 account | 9,663.12 |
| | 17 | City of Newburyport, credit School Dep't | 25.00 |
| | 17 | John D. Brooks, credit School Dept. | 32.83 |
| | 17 | E. L. Willard, Supt., rent of Eliot School Hall | 8.00 |
| | 17 | Robinson & Jones Co., credit Road Department | 12.32 |
| | 17 | City of Marlboro, credit Poor Depart- ment | 142.50 |
| | 17 | City of Newton, credit Poor Depart- ment | 26.50 |
| | 18 | Ernest W. Burks, Auctioneer's License | 2.00 |
| | 21 | John J. Ahern, taxes 1914 Acc't | 1,014.18 |
| | 23 | Charles H. Hollis, Sealer of Weights and Measures, fees, | 6.27 |
| | 24 | Middlesex & Boston St. Ry. Co., credit Gypsy Moth account | 1.35 |
| | 24 | Forrest N. Adams, Trial Justice, credit Trial Justice account | 112.85 |
| | 24 | State Treasurer, credit Poor Depart- ment, aiding mothers with de- pendent children | 9.00 |

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| 26 | George W. Travis, Supt., credit Water Department | 4,755.61 |
| 28 | Edward F. McGrath, Town Scales Receipts, credit Fire Department | 23.20 |
| 28 | Edward F. McGrath, sale of Old Hose credit Fire Department | 2.00 |
| 28 | Thomas F. Morris, Milk Inspection, credit Board of Health | 4.00 |
| 29 | P. F. Hallinan, Supt., credit Sewer Department | 1,627.83 |
| 29 | P. F. Hallinan, Supt., credit Sewer Department | 2.90 |
| 29 | Town of Rehoboth, Mass., credit Poor Department | 83.90 |
| 31 | Henry S. Hunnewell, credit Gypsy Moth Department | 233.00 |
| 31 | John J. Ahern, taxes 1914 account | 2,333.05 |
| 31 | Town of Wayland, credit Poor Department | 20.70 |
| 31 | Natick Five Cents Savings Bank, Water Department, Note No. 103 | 900.00 |
| 31 | Natick Five Cents Savings Bank, Water Department, Note No. 104 | 2,000.00 |
| 31 | Natick Five Cents Savings Bank, Water Department, Note No. 105 | 2,000.00 |
| 31 | Natick Five Cents Savings Bank, Water Department, Note No. 106 | 100.00 |
| 31 | William J. Oakes, Supt., credit Road Department | 3.15 |
| 31 | William A. Edwards, credit Morse Inst. | 20.00 |
| 31 | Town of Wellesley, credit Poor Department | 117.00 |
| 31 | John J. Ahern, taxes 1914 Account | 2,334.14 |

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| 31 | Simon Goodwin, on Account of Junk Collector's License | 10.00 |
| 31 | Daniel P. Quirk & Co., Advertising change in First Class License | 2.00 |
| 31 | H. J. Seiler, credit Gypsy Moth Department | 4.30 |
| 31 | M. F. Kennedy, Trial Justice, credit Trial Justice Account | 171.89 |
| 31 | William J. Oakes, credit Road Department | 4.35 |
| 31 | B. J. Carroll, credit Poor Department | 366.37 |
| 31 | City of Newburyport, credit Poor Department | 40.41 |
| 31 | City of Fall River, credit Poor Department | 157.00 |
| 31 | Minane P. Loring, credit Road Department | 45.00 |
| 31 | William J. Oakes, credit Road Department | .35 |
| 31 | Hiram J. Brown, credit Police Department | 7.00 |
| 31 | Charles L. Kopff, credit Poor Department | 25.00 |
| 31 | Town of Holliston, credit Poor Department | 39.00 |
| 31 | J. O. Hayden, County Treasurer, credit County Commissioners | 16.00 |
| 31 | J. W. Robinson, credit salaries of Town Officers | 16.67 |
| 31 | John J. Ahern, Taxes 1914 Account | 3,500.00 |
| 31 | William J. Oakes, credit Road Department | .25 |
| 31 | Simon Goodwin, balance due on Junk Collector's License | 5.00 |
| 31 | Overseers of the Poor, credit Poor Department | 86.22 |

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| 31 | Overseers of the Poor, Credit Poor Department | 40.00 |
| 31 | P. F. Hallinan, Superintendent, credit Sewer Department | 2,255.50 |
| 31 | Natick Five Cents Savings Bank, credit Trust Funds Account | 43.03 |
| 31 | John J. Ahern, tax of Margaret Brown not assessed | 21.44 |
| 31 | John J. Ahern, taxes 1913 Account | 1,141.22 |
| 31 | John J. Ahern, taxes 1913 Account | 634.34 |
| 31 | John J. Ahern, taxes 1914 Account | 527.85 |
| 31 | J. O. Hayden, County Treasurer, Dog License Money, credit Morse Inst. | 957.90 |
| 31 | G. W. Travis, Superintendent, credit Water Department | 10,594.85 |
| 31 | Transferred from the Trial Justice Account to the Illegal Sale of Liquor Account as per vote of Town Meeting held March, 1914 | 273.00 |
| 31 | John J. Ahern, Abatements 1911 Account | 1,220.96 |
| 31 | John J. Ahern, Abatements 1910 Account | 14.93 |
| 31 | John J. Ahern, Abatements 1909 Account | 117.08 |
| 31 | John J. Ahern, Abatements 1910 Account | 428.90 |
| 31 | John J. Ahern, Abatements 1910 account | 9 94 |
| 31 | John J. Ahern, Taxes 1910 account | 1,568.33 |
| 31 | John J. Ahern, Sidewalk 1910 account | 19.41 |
| 31 | John J. Ahern, Sidewalk 1911 account | 3.00 |
| 31 | John J. Ahern, Taxes 1911 account | 1,437.53 |
| 31 | John J. Ahern, Sidewalk 1912 account | 177.57 |

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| 31 | John J. Ahern, Taxes 1912 account | 1,841.22 |
| 31 | John J. Ahern, Taxes 1913 account | 1,835.61 |
| 31 | John J. Ahern, Taxes 1914 account | 5,964.11 |
| 31 | John J. Ahern, Sidewalk 1914 account | 75.00 |
| 31 | John J. Ahern, Taxes 1909 account | 1,513.54 |
| 31 | John J. Ahern, Abatements 1910 ac- count | 2,415.60 |
| 31 | John J. Ahern, Abatements 1912 ac- count | 1,382.35 |
| Total Receipts | | <hr/> \$489,116.63 |

Receipts Recapitulated

(Schedule 3)

REVENUE RECEIPTS FOR TOWN PURPOSES.

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| Received from Taxes | \$203,520.13 |
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MISCELLANEOUS REVENUE.

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| Received 75 per cent of the Liquor | |
| Licenses | \$10,131.00 |
| Received Interest on Taxes | 2,951.57 |
| Received Interest on Tax Deposits | 28.22 |
| Received Interest on Bank Deposits | 207.67 |
| Received Interest on Town Clerk's Bank | |
| Deposits | 2.08 |
| Received from other Licenses | 266.00 |
| Received from Rents | 84.00 |
| Received from School Accounts | 96.00 |
| Received from Sale of Check Lists | 6.00 |
| Received Fees from Sealer of Weights and | |
| Measures | 117.65 |
| Received from County Commissioners, | |
| Dog Account | 16.00 |
| Received from Tax Sale | 5.49 |
| Received from Tax of Margaret Brown | 21.44 |

13,933.12

BANK AND CORPORATION TAXES.

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| Received Business Corporation Tax | 1,049.60 |
| Received Public Service Corporation | |
| Tax | 2,935.84 |
| Received National Bank Tax | 725.76 |
| Received Street Railway Tax | 1,415.91 |

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RECEIPTS CREDITED TO DEPARTMENTS

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| Salaries of Town Officers | \$16.67 |
| Fire Department | 376.40 |
| Moth Department | 810.60 |
| Police Department | 7.00 |
| Illegal Sale of Liquor | |
| Transferred from Trial Justice Account | 273.00 |
| Board of Health | 212.21 |
| Highway Department | |
| Stable Account | 15.00 |
| Shoeing and Repairing Account | 65.00 |
| Morse Street Drain Account | 48.32 |
| Repairing East Central Street Account | 4.60 |
| Street Sprinkling Account | 3.50 |
| Street Lighting | 200.00 |
| Poor Department | |
| Receipts from Town Farm | 2,541.06 |
| Receipts from Cities and Towns | 1,152.29 |
| Interest on the Spaulding Fund | 86.22 |
| Interest on the Maria Hayes Fund | 40.00 |
| State Aid | 4,268.00 |
| Soldiers Relief | 96.00 |
| School Department | 1,287.09 |
| Morse Institute, Dog License Money, etc. | 979.90 |
| Advertising Liquor Licenses | 60.00 |
| Non Resident Bank Tax | 530.91 |
| 25 per cent of the Liquor License Fees | 3,377.00 |
| County Commissioners, Dog Account | 34.00 |

16,484.77

Total Receipts for Town Purposes (a)

\$240.065.13

NON-BEVENUE RECEIPTS.

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| Balance on hand Feb. | | |
| 1, 1914 | | \$17,066.62 |
| From Temporary Loans | | |
| Issued | \$180,000.00 | |
| Water Dept. Receipts | \$29,126.51 | |
| Water Dept. Notes Is- | | |
| sued | 5,000.00 | |
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| | | 34,126.51 |
| Sewer Dept. Receipts | \$8,386.23 | |
| Sewer Dept. Notes Is- | | |
| sued | 3,335.00 | |
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| | | 11,721.23 |
| Trial Justice Account | | |
| Receipts | | 459.11 |
| Water Sinking Fund | | |
| Account | | 5,600.00 |
| Trust Funds | | 78.03 |
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| Total Receipts for Other than | | |
| Town Purposes (b) | | 231,984.88 |
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| Total Receipts for the Year | | \$489,116.63 |

Payments Recapitulated

(Schedule 4)

REVENUE PAYMENTS FOR TOWN PURPOSES

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| Paid Orders Drawn for General Gov- ernment | \$21,439.46 |
| Paid Orders Drawn for Protection of Life and Property | 24,469.92 |
| Paid Orders Drawn for Health and Sanitation | 3,248.77 |
| Paid Orders Drawn for Highways | 25,353.96 |
| Paid Orders Drawn for Street Light- ing | 9,012.68 |
| Paid Orders Drawn for Charities | 17,577.63 |
| Paid Orders Drawn for Soldiers' Benefits | 7,428.97 |
| Paid Orders Drawn for Education | 58,432.85 |
| Paid Orders Drawn for Libraries | 3,375.63 |
| Paid Orders Drawn for Recreation | 1,999.12 |
| Paid Orders Drawn for Unclassified | 831.33 |
| Paid Orders Drawn for Town Debt | 11,600.00 |
| Paid Orders Drawn for Sinking Funds | 9,000.00 |
| Paid Orders Drawn for Interest on Town Debt | 18,151.85 |
| Paid Orders Drawn for County Tax | 9,932.91 |
| Paid Orders Drawn for State Tax | 18,112.50 |
| Paid Orders Drawn for State High- way Tax | 845.56 |
| Paid Orders Drawn for National Bank Tax | 954.27 |

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| Paid Orders Drawn for 25 per cent. of the Liquor Licenses to the State | 3.377.00 |
| Paid Orders Drawn for County Com- missioners, Dog Account | 34.00 |
| Paid Orders Drawn for Refunds | 2.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| Total Payments for Town Pur- poses (a) | \$244,679.91 |

NON-REVENUE PAYMENTS:

| | |
|--|--------------|
| Paid Loans in Antici- pation of Taxes | \$170,000.00 |
| Water Department | |
| Paid Orders drawn by the Commis- sioners | \$20,948.24 |
| Paid Interest on Notes and Bonds | 5,363.00 |
| Paid to Sinking Fund | 7,815.27 |
| | <hr/> |
| | 34,126.51 |
| Sewer Department | |
| Paid Orders drawn by the Commis- sioners | \$10,632.02 |
| Paid to Sinking Fund | 1,089.21 |
| | <hr/> |
| | 11,721.23 |
| Trial Justice Account | |
| Paid Orders drawn by Selectmen | \$23.74 |

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|---|-----------|--------------|
| Transferred to Sup- pression of Illegal Sale of Liquor Account | 273.00 | |
| | | 296.74 |
| Water Sinking Fund Account, Advanced for Notes and Bonds | 5,600.00 | |
| Trust Funds | 78.03 | |
| | | |
| Total Payments for other than Town Purposes (b) | | 221,822.51 |
| | | |
| Total Payments for the Year | | 466,502.42 |
| BALANCES ARE AS FOLLOWS: | | |
| Balance of General Account | 21,350.77 | |
| Balance of Trial Justice Account | 1,062.60 | |
| Balance of Tailings Account | 200.84 | |
| | | |
| Total Balance on hand | | 22,614.21 |
| | | |
| | | \$489,118.63 |

Statement Showing the Appropriations, Receipts and Expenditures of the Various Departments, also the Unexpended Balance and Overdraw

| | APPROPRIATION | RECEIPTS AND CREDITS | TOTAL | PAYMENTS | UNEXPENDED BALANCE | OVERDRAW |
|--|---------------|----------------------|------------|------------|--------------------|----------|
| GENERAL GOVERNMENT | | | | | | |
| Necessary Town Uses | \$4,800.00 | | \$4,800.00 | \$4,713.06 | \$86.94 | ..... |
| Salaries of Town Officers | 6,400.40 | \$16.67 | 6,417.07 | 6,417.07 | ..... | ..... |
| Precinct Officers | 700.00 | ..... | 700.00 | 700.00 | ..... | ..... |
| Assessors | 933.33 | ..... | 933.33 | 930.18 | 3.15 | ..... |
| Assessors, Block and Map System | 500.00 | ..... | 500.00 | 500.00 | ..... | ..... |
| Rent of Town Hall and Offices | 1,220.08 | ..... | 1,220.08 | 1,220.08 | ..... | ..... |
| Collection and Abatement of Taxes | 6,959.07 | ..... | 6,959.07 | 6,959.07 | ..... | ..... |
| Overlays | 197.83 | ..... | 197.83 | ..... | 197.83 | ..... |
| Overdraft Account | 5,669.35 | ..... | 5,669.35 | ..... | 5,669.35 | ..... |
| PROTECTION OF LIFE AND PROPERTY | | | | | | |
| Fire Department | 10,092.19 | 376.40 | 10,468.59 | 10,468.42 | 0.17 | ..... |
| Fire Alarm Box | 250.00 | | 250.00 | 250.00 | ..... | ..... |
| Moth Department | 4,389.39 | 810.60 | 5,199.99 | 5,178.10 | 21.89 | ..... |
| Tree Warden | 1,375.00 | ..... | 1,375.00 | 1,374.04 | 0.96 | ..... |

Statement Showing the Appropriations, Receipts and Expenditures of the Various Departments, also the Unexpended Balance and Overdraw -- *Continued*

| | APPROPRIATION | RECEIPTS AND CREDITS | TOTAL | PAYMENTS | UNEXP'N'D BALANCE | OVERDRAW |
|---|---------------|----------------------|------------|------------|-------------------|----------|
| Police Department | \$6,926.58 | \$7.00 | \$6,933.58 | \$6,926.36 | 7.22 | ..... |
| Suppression of the Illegal Sale of Liquor ..... | ..... | 273.00 | 273.00 | 273.00 | ..... | ..... |
| HEALTH AND SANITATION | | | | | | |
| Board of Health | 3,085.87 | 212.21 | 3,298.08 | 3,248.77 | 49.31 | ..... |
| HIGHWAYS | | | | | | |
| Superintendent's Salary | 1,283.33 | ..... | 1,283.33 | 1,283.33 | ..... | ..... |
| Single and Double Drivers | 4,188.94 | ..... | 4,188.94 | 4,176.01 | 12.93 | ..... |
| Extra Help | 1,400.00 | ..... | 1,400.00 | 1,399.88 | 0.12 | ..... |
| Street Cleaning | 1,700.00 | ..... | 1,700.00 | 1,699.33 | 60.67 | ..... |
| Road Roller Account | 400.00 | ..... | 400.00 | 304.14 | 95.86 | ..... |
| Stable Account | 2,016.67 | 15.00 | 2,031.67 | 1,997.30 | 34.37 | ..... |
| Shoeing and Repairs | 908.33 | 65.00 | 973.33 | 778.02 | 195.31 | ..... |
| Road Material | 900.00 | ..... | 900.00 | 493.64 | 406.36 | ..... |
| Water Account | 750.00 | ..... | 750.00 | 544.50 | 205.50 | ..... |
| Miscellaneous and Insurance | 504.43 | ..... | 504.43 | 493.45 | 10.98 | ..... |
| Snow Account | 700.00 | ..... | 700.00 | 700.00 | ..... | ..... |

Statement Showing the Appropriations, Receipts and Expenditures of the Various Departments, also the Unexpended Balance and Overdraw — Continued

| | APPROPRIATION | RECEIPTS AND CREDITS | TOTAL | PAYMENTS | UNEXP'N'D BALANCE | OVERDRAW |
|----------------------------------|---------------|----------------------|------------|------------|-------------------|----------|
| Repairing Sidewalks, Culv., etc. | \$2,000.00 | ..... | \$2,000.00 | \$1,998.82 | \$1.18 | ..... |
| Unpaid Bill Account..... | 172.88 | ..... | 172.88 | 172.88 | ..... | ..... |
| South Street Bridge..... | 400.00 | ..... | 400.00 | 400.00 | ..... | ..... |
| Excess Excise Tax..... | 168.16 | ..... | 168.16 | 133.70 | 34.46 | ..... |
| Morse Street Drain..... | 560.00 | 48.32 | 608.32 | 608.14 | 0.18 | ..... |
| Repairing East Central Street | 600.00 | 4.60 | 604.60 | 603.78 | 0.82 | ..... |
| Repairing West Central Street | 300.00 | ..... | 300.00 | 230.32 | 69.68 | ..... |
| New High School Walk..... | 575.00 | ..... | 575.00 | 572.00 | 3.00 | ..... |
| Roxbury Avenue..... | 300.00 | ..... | 300.00 | 295.91 | 4.09 | ..... |
| South Main Street..... | 2,500.00 | ..... | 2,500.00 | 2,495.48 | 4.52 | ..... |
| Worcester Street..... | 150.00 | ..... | 150.00 | 149.65 | 0.35 | ..... |
| Street Sprinkling..... | 1,900.00 | 3.50 | 1,903.50 | 1,818.16 | 85.34 | ..... |
| Concrete Sidewalks..... | 1,330.00 | ..... | 1,330.00 | 1,280.10 | 49.90 | ..... |
| Cleaning Pegan Brook..... | 300.00 | ..... | 300.00 | 127.41 | 172.59 | ..... |
| Court Street Sidewalk..... | 80.00 | ..... | 80.00 | 73.00 | 7.00 | ..... |
| Repairing Marion and Co- | 539.25 | ..... | 539.25 | 525.01 | 14.24 | ..... |
| chituate Street Bridges..... | 8,812.68 | 200.00 | 9,012.68 | 9,012.68 | ..... | ..... |
| Street Lighting..... | | | | | | |
| CHARITIES | | | | | | |
| Poor Department..... | 11,500.00 | 3,819.57 | 15,319.57 | 14,827.63 | 491.94 | ..... |

Statement Showing the Appropriations, Receipts and Expenditures of the Various Departments, Also the Unexpended Balance and Overdraw — Continued

| APPROPRIATION | | RECEIPTS AND CREDITS | TOTAL | PAYMENTS | UNEXP'N'D BALANCE | OVERDRAW |
|-------------------------------------|------------|----------------------|-----------|-----------|-------------------|----------|
| Leonard Morse Hospital..... | \$2,750.00 | ..... | 2,750.00 | 2,750.00 | ..... | ..... |
| SOLDIERS' BENEFITS | | | | | | |
| State Aid..... | ..... | 4,268.00 | 4,268.00 | 3,795.00 | 473.00 | ..... |
| Soldiers' Relief..... | 3,700.00 | 96.00 | 3,796.00 | 3,483.97 | 312.03 | ..... |
| Burial of Soldiers and Sailors..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 150.00 | ..... | 150.00 |
| EDUCATION | | | | | | |
| School Department..... | 57,150.00 | 1,287.09 | 58,437.09 | 58,432.85 | 4.24 | ..... |
| LIBRARIES | | | | | | |
| Morse Institute..... | 2,400.00 | 979.90 | 3,379.90 | 3,375.63 | 4.27 | ..... |
| RECREATION | | | | | | |
| Park Department..... | 1,500.00 | ..... | 1,500.00 | 1,499.12 | .88 | ..... |
| Town House Lot..... | 500 00 | ..... | 500.00 | 500.00 | ..... | ..... |
| UNCLASSIFIED | | | | | | |
| Advertising Liquor Licenses.. | ..... | 60.00 | 60.00 | 60.00 | ..... | ..... |

Statement Showing the Appropriations, Receipts and Expenditures, of the Various Departments, also the Unexpended Balance and Overdraw — *Continued*

| | APPROPRIATION | RECEIPTS AND CREDITS | TOTAL | PAYMENTS | UNEXPENDED BALANCE | OVERDRAW |
|--|---------------|----------------------|-----------|-----------|--------------------|----------|
| Suits and Claims | \$45.00 | ..... | 45.00 | 45.00 | ..... | ..... |
| Decorating Soldiers' Graves, G.A.R. | 325.00 | ..... | 325.00 | 325.00 | ..... | ..... |
| Winding and Repairing Town Clocks | 45.83 | ..... | 45.83 | 45.83 | ..... | ..... |
| Rev. M. F. Delaney, one-half Cost of Curb. | 100.00 | ..... | 100.00 | 100.00 | ..... | ..... |
| Street Signs and Posts | 200.00 | ..... | 200.00 | 105.50 | 94.50 | ..... |
| Summer Street Widening.... | 150.00 | ..... | 150.00 | 150.00 | ..... | ..... |
| TOWN DEBT | | | | | | |
| Permanent Loans | 11,600.00 | ..... | 11,600.00 | 11,600.00 | ..... | ..... |
| Sinking Funds | 9,000 00 | ..... | 9,000.00 | 9,000.00 | ..... | ..... |
| INTEREST ON TOWN DEBT | | | | | | |
| Temporary Interest | 7,500.00 | ..... | 7,500.00 | 5,886.96 | 1,613.04 | ..... |
| Permanent Interest | 5,600.00 | ..... | 5,600.00 | 5,434.75 | 165.25 | ..... |
| Sewer Interest | 7,520.00 | ..... | 7,520.00 | 6,829.64 | 690.36 | ..... |

Statement Showing the Appropriations, Receipts and Expenditures of the Various Departments, also the Unexpended Balance and Overdraw — Continued

| APPROPRIATION | RECEIPTS AND CREDITS | TOTAL | PAYMENTS | UNEXPENDED BALANCE | OVERDRAW |
|--|----------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------------|----------|
| STATE, COUNTY AND CORPORATION TAXES | | | | | |
| County Tax | \$9,932.91 | \$9,932.91 | \$9,932.91 | ..... | ..... |
| State Tax | 18,112.50 | 18,112.50 | 18,112.50 | ..... | ..... |
| State Highway Tax | 345.56 | 345.56 | 345.56 | ..... | ..... |
| Non-Resident Bank Tax | 423.36 | 423.36 | 954.27 | ..... | ..... |
| Twenty five per cent License Fees ..... |  |  |  | ..... | ..... |
| County Commissioners' Dog Account ..... |  |  |  | ..... | ..... |
| | | 3,377.00 | 3,377.00 | ..... | ..... |
| | | 34.00 | 34.00 | ..... | ..... |
| REFUND | | | | | |
| Fitzpatrick Tax | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | ..... | ..... |
| Ellen K. Stone Estate Tax | 259.36 | 259.36 | ..... | 259.36 | ..... |
| Total for Town Purposes .. | \$239,600.28 | \$16,484.77 | \$244,679.91 | \$11,555.14 | \$150.00 |
| | | \$256,085.05 | | | |

WATER DEPARTMENT

RECEIPTS

| | |
|------------------------------------|-------------|
| Received from G. W. Travis, Supt. | \$29,126.51 |
| Borrowed on Notes for Construction | 5,000.00 |

| | |
|----------------|-------------|
| Total Receipts | \$34,126.51 |
|----------------|-------------|

PAYMENTS

| | |
|------------------------------------|-------------|
| Paid orders drawn by Commissioners | \$20,948.24 |
| Paid Interest on Notes and Bonds | 5,363.00 |
| Paid to Sinking Fund | 7,815.27 |

| | |
|----------------|-----------|
| Total Payments | 34,126.51 |
|----------------|-----------|

SEWER DEPARTMENT

RECEIPTS

| | |
|-------------------------------------|------------|
| Received from P. F. Hallinan, Supt. | \$8,386.23 |
| Borrowed on Notes for Construction | 3,335.00 |

| | |
|----------------|-------------|
| Total Receipts | \$11,721.23 |
|----------------|-------------|

PAYMENTS

| | |
|------------------------------------|-----------|
| Paid orders drawn by Commissioners | 10,632.02 |
| Paid for Sinking Fund | 1,089.21 |

| | |
|----------------|-----------|
| Total Payments | 11,721.23 |
|----------------|-----------|

TRIAL JUSTICE ACCOUNT

1914

RECEIPTS

| | | | |
|------|----|--|------------------|
| Feb. | 1 | Balance as per last report | \$900.25 |
| Apr. | 6 | Received from Trial Justice M. F. Kennedy | \$52.76 |
| July | 10 | Received from Trial Justice M. F. Kennedy | 48.34 |
| Oct. | 9 | Received from Trial Justice M. F. Kennedy | 67.62 |
| Oct. | 13 | Received from Trial Justice F. N. Adams | 5.65 |
| Nov. | 24 | Received from Trial Justice F. N. Adams | 112.85 |
| Dec. | 31 | Received from Trial Justice M. F. Kennedy | 171.89 |
| | | | <hr/> 459.11 |
| | | | <hr/> \$1,359.34 |

DISBURSEMENTS

1914

| | | | |
|---------------------------------|----|---|------------------|
| Dec. | 31 | Transferred to Suppression of the Illegal Sale of Liquor account, as per vote | \$273.00 |
| | | Paid bills approved by the Selectmen | 23.74 |
| | | | <hr/> 296.74 |
| Balance on hand January 1, 1915 | | | <hr/> \$1,062.60 |

NEW HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING ACCOUNT

(Not included in the General Account)

RECEIPTS

| | | |
|---------------|---|--------------|
| Aug. 30, 1912 | Sale of Bonds | \$110,000.00 |
| Mch. 2, 1914 | Borrowed on notes as per vote of Town Meeting | |
| | Dec. 29, 1913 | 3,000.00 |
| Mch. 2, 1914 | Appropriation for Land | 2,900.00 |
| Dec. 31, 1914 | Interest recorded to date | 3,412.05 |

Total Receipts

\$119,312.05

DISBURSEMENTS

| | |
|------------------------------------|-----------|
| Paid for Land | 5,400.00 |
| Paid on General Contract | 79,960.43 |
| Paid on Heating Contract | 14,490.00 |
| Paid to Architect | 5,793.92 |
| Paid for Inspection | 1,191.18 |
| Paid for Equipment and Furnishings | 12,398.77 |

Total Disbursements

\$119,234.30

Unexpended Balance

77.75

Bequests in Possession of the Town.

BEQUESTS, WITH BOOKS OF SAME, IN THE HANDS OF THE TREASURER AND FUNDS IN THE NATICK FIVE CENTS SAVINGS BANK.

William Crosby Fund, for care of lot in cemetery at South Natick,

| | |
|-------------------------------|----------------|
| Balance on hand Nov. 1, 1913 | \$324.30 |
| Interest to Nov. 1, 1914 | 14.73 |
| | <hr/> \$339.03 |
| Paid for care of cemetery lot | 49.43 |
| | <hr/> \$289.60 |

Mary J. Beckman Fund, care of lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, Natick,

| | |
|----------------------------------|----------------|
| Balance on hand Nov. 1, 1913 | 542.74 |
| Interest to Nov. 1, 1914 | 24.66 |
| | <hr/> \$567.40 |
| Paid for care of lot and flowers | 9.00 |
| | <hr/> \$558.40 |

William L. Coolidge Fund, care or otherwise of the Henry Wilson Lot in Dell Park cemetery,

| | |
|------------------------------|------------|
| Balance on hand Nov. 1, 1913 | \$979.69 |
| Interest to Nov. 1, 1914 | 44.54 |
| | <hr/> |
| Balance on hand Nov. 1, 1914 | \$1,024.23 |

Henry Wilson Memorial Fund

| | |
|----------------------------------|------------|
| Balance on hand Nov. 1, 1913 | \$2,437.26 |
| Interest to Nov. 1, 1914 | 110.90 |
| | <hr/> |
| Balance on hand November 1, 1914 | \$2,548.16 |

Maria Hayes Fund, for building Town Hall

| | |
|------------------------------|------------|
| Balance on hand Nov. 1, 1913 | \$1,471.20 |
| Interest to Nov. 1, 1914 | 66.93 |
| | <hr/> |
| Balance on hand Nov. 1, 1914 | \$1,538.13 |

Thomas D. Smith Fund, care of lot in St. Patrick's cemetery

| | |
|------------------------------|---------|
| Balance on hand Nov. 1, 1913 | \$75.04 |
| Interest to Nov. 1, 1914 | 3.39 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$78.43 |
| Paid for care of lot | 3.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| Balance on hand Nov. 1, 1914 | \$75.43 |

Collins Morse Estate Fund, care of lot in Dell Park cemetery

| | |
|--|----------|
| Balance on hand, Nov. 1, 1913 | \$626.52 |
| Interest to Nov. 1, 1914 | 32.98 |
| Received for rent of house | 35.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$694.50 |
| Paid for repairs to building as per bills approved by the Selectmen, | \$16.60 |
| | <hr/> |
| Balance on hand Nov. 1, 1914 | 677.90 |

TOWN DEBT PAID DURING THE YEAR.

1914

| | | |
|----------------------|--|-------------|
| April 1 | Trustees Leonard Morse Hospital, 1 Refund Loan Note | \$2,500.00 |
| June 1 | State Treasurer, 1 Refund Loan Note | 1,000.00 |
| July 1 | 6 Bonds, New High School Loan | 5,500.00 |
| Nov. 2 | Natick Savings Bank, 1 Sewer Loan Note, No. 67 | 600.00 |
| Dec. 19 | State Treasurer, 1 Oak Grove School Note | 1,000.00 |
| Dec. 19 | Natick Savings Bank, 1 Sewer Note No. 76 | 1,000.00 |
| Total Town Debt Paid | | \$11,600.00 |

INTEREST ON TOWN DEBT PAID DURING THE YEAR.

| | |
|---|------------|
| Interest on Refund Loans | \$2,030.00 |
| Interest on Grade Crossing Loan | 101.25 |
| Interest on Felchville School Loan | 540.00 |
| Interest on Walnut Hill School Loan | 540.00 |
| Interest on Oak Grove School Loan | 60.00 |
| Interest on New High School Loan | 2,157.50 |
| Bureau of Statistics, Certification 3 High School Notes | 6.00 |
| \$5,434.75 | |

INTEREST ON SEWER DEBT PAID DURING THE YEAR.

| | |
|---|------------|
| Interest on coupon, Bonds | \$3,140.00 |
| Interest on Registered Bonds | 1,460.00 |
| Interest on Notes | 2,221.64 |
| Bureau of Statistics, Certification 4 Notes | 8.00 |
| \$6,829.64 | |

LOANS IN ANTICIPATION OF TAXES PAID DURING THE YEAR.

| | | |
|----------|---|--------------------|
| 1914 | | |
| April 3 | Note No. 55, Loring, Tolman & Tupper, Dated April 24, 1913 | \$10,000.00 |
| April 22 | Note No. 56, Loring, Tolman & Tupper Dated April 24, 1913 | 10,000.00 |
| May 13 | Note No. 61, Parkinson & Burr, Dated May 15, 1913 | 10,000.00 |
| June 4 | Note No. 62, Natick Savings Bank, Dated June 5, 1913 | 10,000.00 |
| June 18 | Note No. 64, Loring, Tolman & Tupper, Dated June 19, 1913 | 10,000.00 |
| June 25 | Note No. 65, Natick National Bank, Dated June 26, 1913 | 15,000.00 |
| July 21 | Note No. 66, Natick Savings Bank, Dated July 22, 1913 | 10,000.00 |
| Sept. 22 | Note No. 79, Natick Savings Bank, Dated Jan. 20, 1914 | 10,000.00 |
| Oct. 6 | Note No. 80, Natick Savings Bank, Dated Jan. 27, 1914 | 15,000.00 |
| Nov. 12 | Note No. 84, Natick Savings Bank Dated March 26, 1914 | 15,000.00 |
| Nov. 27 | Note No. 93, Natick National Bank, Dated June 22 1914 | 15,000.00 |
| Dec. 3 | Note No. 85, Loring, Tolman & Tupper, Dated March 26, 1914 | 15,000.00 |
| Dec. 17 | Note No. 86, Loring Tolman & Tupper, Dated March 26, 1914 | 15,000.00 |
| Dec. 31 | Note No. 100, Natick, Savings Bank, Dated October 8, 1914 | 10,000.00 |
| | | <hr/> \$170,000.00 |

INTEREST ON LOANS IN ANTICIPATION OF TAXES

1914

| | | | |
|-------|----|---|----------|
| March | 26 | Note No. 84, Natick Savings Bank 231 days, Interest at 3.70 per cent. | \$356.13 |
| | 26 | Note No. 85 Loring, Tolman & Tupper, 252 days, Interest at 3.90 per cent. | 409.50 |
| | 26 | Note No. 86 Loring, Tolman & Tupper, 266 days, Interest at 3.90 per cent. | 432.25 |
| | 26 | Note No. 87 Loring, Tolman & Tupper, 329 days, Interest at 3.90 per cent. | 534.63 |
| May | 28 | Note No. 88 Loring, Tolman & Tupper, 295 days, Interest at 3.62 per cent. | 296.64 |
| | 28 | Note No. 89 Loring, Tolman & Tupper, 330 days, Interest at 3.62 per cent. | 331.83 |
| June | 18 | Note No. 90, F. W. Moseley & Co., 321 days, Interest at 3.58 per cent. | 319.23 |
| | 18 | Note No. 91, F. W. Moseley & Co., 342 days, Interest at 3.58 per cent. | 340.10 |
| | 18 | Note No. 92, F. W. Moseley & Co., 356 days, Interest at 3.58 per cent. | 354.03 |
| | 26 | Note No. 93, Natick National Bank 154 days, Interest at 4 per cent. | 256.68 |
| July | 22 | Note No. 94, Estabrook & Co. 336 days, Interest at 4 1-8 per cent. | 385.00 |
| | 22 | Note No. 95, Estabrook & Co., 350 days, Interest at 4 1-8 per cent. | 401.04 |

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|---------|---|------------|
| Oct. 14 | Note No. 100, Natick Savings Bank 84 days, Interest at 6 per cent. | 140.00 |
| 30 | Note No. 101, Natick Savings Bank, 330 days, Interest at 6 per cent. | 550.00 |
| Nov. 27 | Note No. 102, Natick National Bank 313 days, Interest at 5.75 per cent. | 749.90 |
| | Bureau of Statistics, Certification, 15 Notes at \$2.00 | 30.00 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$5,886.96 |

HARRY M. FERGUSON,

Treasurer.

Approved

THOMAS J. SHEA,

Auditor.

February 15, 1915.

REPORT OF SINKING FUND COMMISSIONERS

HARRY M. FERGUSON, Treasurer

For the Eleven Months Ending December 31, 1914.

WATER DEPARTMENT.

RECEIPTS.

| | |
|---|--------------------|
| Securities on hand, Feb. 1, 1914 | \$1,965.00 |
| Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1914 | 4,094.70 |
| Received for 1 Fitchburg R. R. Co. Bond sold to the Felchville School Sinking Fund | 982.50 |
| Received for 1 Fitchburg R. R. Co. Bond, sold to the Bacon School (Walnut Hill) Sinking Fund, | 982.50 |
| Net earnings of the Water Department | 7,815.27 |
| Received Interest on Securities | 80.00 |
| Received Interest on Bank Deposits | 54.92 |
| Total Receipts | <u>\$15,974.89</u> |

DISBURSEMENTS.

| | |
|--|-------------------|
| Paid 5 Bonds due Oct. 1, 1914 | 5,000.00 |
| Paid 1 Note, No. 73, due Nov. 26, 1914 | 600.00 |
| Sold 1 Fitchburg R. R. Co. Bond to the Felchville School Sinking Fund | 982.50 |
| Sold 1 Fitchburg R. R. Co. Bond to the Bacon School (Walnut Hill) Sinking Fund | 982.50 |
| Total Disbursements. | <u>\$7,565.00</u> |
| Balance on hand Janary 1, 1915 | <u>\$8,409.89</u> |

INVESTMENTS.

| | | |
|--|------------|------------|
| Deposited in the Natick National Bank | \$8,096.97 | |
| Deposited in the Natick Five Cents Sav- ings Bank | 312.92 | |
| | <hr/> | |
| Total Investments | | \$8,409.89 |

SEWER SINKING FUND.

RECEIPTS.

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-------------|
| Securities on hand Feb. 1, 1914 | \$21,937.75 |
| Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1914 | 26,880.21 |
| Tax Levy of 1914 | 8,000.00 |
| Net earnings of the Sewer Department | 1,089.21 |
| Interest received on Securities | 645.00 |
| Interest received on Bank Deposits | 1,113.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| Total Receipts | \$59,665.17 |

INVESTMENTS.

| | |
|---|-------------|
| 3 B. & M. R. R. Co., Bonds (Registered) | |
| 4 s, due August 1, 1942 | \$3,389.20 |
| 5 B. & M. R. R. Co., Bonds, 4s, due Sept. | |
| 1, 1926 | 5,118.75 |
| 1 Fitchburg R. R. Co., Bonds, 4s, due | |
| March 1, 1927 | 982.50 |
| 2 Northern Maine Seaport R. R. Co., | |
| Bonds 5s, due April 1, 1935 | 2,190.00 |
| 4 Natick Water Bonds, 4s, due Jan. 1, | |
| 1931 | 4,000.00 |
| 2 Natick Water Bonds 3 1-2 s, due Oct 1, | |
| 1929 | 2,000.00 |
| 2 City of Somerville Bonds, 3 1-2 s, due | |
| July 1, 1915 | 2,084.00 |
| 1 City of Medford Bond, 4s, due Feb. 1, | |
| 1930 | 1,173.30 |
| 1 Town of Westborough Bond 4s, due | |
| Nov. 1, 1926 | 1,000.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$21,937.75 |
| Deposited in Natick Five Cents Sav- | |
| ings Bank | 35,617.83 |
| Deposited in Natick National Bank | 2,109.59 |
| | <hr/> |
| Total Investments | \$59,665.17 |

FELCHVILLE SCHOOL SINKING FUND

RECEIPTS

| | | |
|--------------------------------------|----------|------------|
| Balance on Hand Feb. 1, 1914 | 6,603.80 | |
| Securities purchased during the year | 982.50 | |
| Tax Levy of 1914 | 500.00 | |
| Interest received on Bank Deposits | 300.48 | |
| | | |
| Total Receipts | | \$8,386.78 |

DISBURSEMENTS

| | | |
|---|--------|------------|
| Purchased 1 Fitchburg R. R. Co., Bond from the Water Sinking Fund | 982.50 | |
| | | |
| Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1914 | | \$7,404.28 |

INVESTMENTS

| | | |
|--|----------|------------|
| 1 Fitchburg Railroad Co., Bond, 4s, due May 1, 1925 | \$982.50 | |
| Deposited in Natick Five Cents Savings Bank | 6,421.78 | |
| | | |
| Total Investments | | \$7,404.28 |

BACON SCHOOL (WALNUT HILL) SINKING FUND

 RECEIPTS

| | | |
|--------------------------------------|------------|------------|
| Balance on hand Feb. 1, 1914 | \$6,603.80 | |
| Securities purchased during the year | 982.50 | |
| Tax Levy of 1914 | 500.00 | |
| Interest received on Bank Deposits | 300.48 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| Total receipts | | \$8,386.78 |

DISBURSEMENTS

| | | |
|---|--|------------|
| Purchased 1 Fitchburg Railroad Co., Bond from the Water Sinking Fund | | 982.50 |
| | | <hr/> |
| Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1914 | | \$7,404.28 |

INVESTMENTS

| | | |
|---|----------|------------|
| 1 Fitchburg Railroad Co., Bond, 4s due May 1, 1925 | \$982.50 | |
| Deposited in Natick Five Cents Sav- ings Bank | 6,421.78 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| Total Investments | | \$7,404.28 |

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY M. FERGUSON,

Treasurer.

NATICK, MASS., Feb. 4, 1915,

We hereby certify that we have examined the securities and books of account of Harry M. Ferguson, Treasurer of the various sinking funds and find them correct.

F. E. CUMMINGS,

R. D. SUTHERLAND,

Sinking Fund Commissioners.

Approved,

THOMAS J. SHEA, *Auditor.*

February 15, 1915.

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